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DEALERS,
BROKERS,
AND
CONVEYANCERS!

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

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WARREN & DURFEE.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

Reliable Fire Insurance
NEW YORK
UNDERWRITERS'
AGENCY.

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,
$3,666,242.85.

CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co.'s of New York

GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no strongerest could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an Insurance organization, than yours has passed through here successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

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WARREN & DURFEE,
AGENTS, DECATUR, ILL.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

CONTINENTAL
INSURANCE CO.
OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

Cash Capital,
One Million Dollars!

Assets January 1, 1872,
$2,509,526.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire Paid
$1,485,888.

Warren & Durfee
AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

Insurance Company
OF
NORTH AMERICA,
PHILADELPHIA.

ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.

OLDEST INSURANCE CO IN AMERICA.

Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,
$3,212,176.

The OLD NORTH AMERICA commenced business April 14th, 1794, has since been in SUCCESSFUL and UNINTERRUPTED operation for 76 years.

Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,
$580,000 00.

And continues to offer its services to those seeking RELIABLE INDEMNITY against loss by fire.

☞ For Policies in the above Sterling Old Company apply to
WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10, block 4, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts.; size, 76x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts.; size, 95x140 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4—fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts.; lot 8, 82 feet front, lot 9, 40 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $650; can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 25x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $150, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 145 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 4 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Culver's addition, comprising 80x123 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st., a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $400, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burtows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddecord & Burtows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair; lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 4, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

April 26, 1872 d-tf.

THE
Railway Passengers'
Assurance Co.,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Issues tickets of Insurance against
ACCIDENT.

Cash Capital, $300,000.

J. G. BATTERSON, President,
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Of Registered Accident Tickets, Insuring $3,000 in the event of Death, or $15,00 Weekly Idemnity for Total Disability.

One Day,	25 Cents.	Five Days,	$1,25
Two Days,	50 Cents.	Ten Days,	2,50
	Thirty Days,	$5,00.	

Women Insured Against Death Only.

Warren & Durfee
AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

THE
HARTFORD
FIRE
Insurance Comp'y,
HARTFORD, CONN.,

CHARTERED, - - - 1810

CASH CAPITAL,
One Million Dollars.
Assets January 1, 872,
$2,942,071.18.

☞ Devoted solely to Insurance AGAINST LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.

WARREN & DURFEE
AGENTS.

April 1, 1872-d-tf.

SPRINGFIELD
FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE CO.
OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

CASH CAPITAL, $5,000.00
Total Assets, Jan. 1, 1872,
$1,065,606.00.
Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000!

☞ Full lines upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable Rates.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872—d-tf.

NOT LONG ENOUGH.

A Darkey's Dream, with a Moral for the Democracy.

From the Springfield (Ill.) Journal.

The Democratic hope of success next November, by means of Republican aid, reminds us of a negro sermon which we once heard, as reported by a clerical friend in this city. We do not remember ever to have seen it in print. The colored preacher, in the course of a very animated sermon, related a dream which he had dreamed a few nights before.—He said:

"My brethering and my sistering—Ah dreamed a dream—ah. An' I dreamed dat I had de berry identikul ladder dat Jacob went up to saw de Lord on. An' I put it up to heben—ah, an' by de help ob faith, I mounted a-w-a-y-up-t-o-d-e-t-o-p; an' it was too short—ah. An' I took it down an' I spliced it; an' I put it up to heben de second time-ah; an' by de help ob faith I mounted a-w-a-y up to de top de second time-ah; an' it was too short agin-ah. An' I took it down, an' I put on a smashing big splice; an' I put it up to heben de third time-ah, an' by de help ob faith I mounted away up to de top de third time-ah, and it was too short de third time-ah."

Democratic experience, precisely.

The preacher paused a moment for breath, then resumed more loudly and excitedly than ever:

"So I spread my wings an' I give an a-l-m-i-g-h-t-y jump!"

Then his voice dropped to a confidential whisper, and he concluded by saying: "An' I got de t-a-r-n-a-l-i-o-n-e-s-t fall dat ebber you see on God's yearth!"

Moral in November.

VOORHEES AND THE WRATH OF THE LIBERALS.

Mr. Voorhees' speech in the House, on Monday, has naturally caused a great sensation in his own party, and all parties, but more particularly in the "Liberal" camp. Some of the journals of the Liberal persuasion grow actually furious over Voorhees' declaration. The New York *Sun* heads the speech with display type in the following ridiculous way:

"Grant's Indiana Hessian—Dan Voorhees' Attempt to Sell the Democratic Party—Sells Himself but Not the Party—Indignant Democratic Denunciations of the Traitor—He is Openly Accused of Secretly visiting Grant—His Attempt at Equivocation—'Now go to the White House and Get Your Pay.'"

It also gives an editorial on Voorhees, entitled, "Grant's Democratic Retainer."

The *Tribune* gives the following characteristic editorial comment on Voorhees' speech:

"Mr. Voorhees, of Indiana, yesterday gave in his adhesion to General Grant in a highly flavored speech. He finds the Democratic party is losing its old pro-slavery and secession character, and properly concludes he has no longer any business in it."

If to be a "Liberal" means any such meanness as is contained in the above extracts, then may all well-constructed men pray to be delivered from the liberalizing process.

Mr. Voorhees is a Democrat, and simply as a Democrat he stood in the House on Monday and gave a plain and forcible declaration of his own position as a member of the Democratic party, and the duty of that party in relation to Mr. Greeley, and the efforts to form a conlition between it and the ambitious "Liberals."—*Washington Chronicle.*

THE philosophic farmer who would rather be President than any thing else just now, receives many gratuitous notices from the press. We will not be behind our contemporaries in doing him honor and therefore give him the following:

Lizie had a little pig,
It is so white and squeally,
And *now* so much about the farm,
She calls it Horace Greeley.

He changes round from place to place,
Calling with cheering notes—
Runs up hill to get his swill,
And down to get his votes,

A pleasant story is told of Mr. Colfax, which, if not to all our readers, is worth many readings. At a large dinner-party, where were illustrious American and foreign statesmen, he declined to take wine. A noted Senator, himself a little heated, exclaimed across the table, half jestingly, "Colfax *dares* not drink!"

"You are right," said Mr. Colfax, he *dare* not!"

That simple answer, given with gentle and earnest solemnity, was itself an impressive temperance lecture.

WE have before observed that in its attitude toward the Liberal movement, the Democratic party is divided into "Poland Hen" and "Steady Setter" Democrats. Indications now are that the "Steady Setters" will lose so much time coaxing the "Poland Hen-ers" to stop cackling, and go to incubating, that their own nest will get cold also. We advise the "Steady Setters" to totally disregard the "Poland Hen-ers," and just close their eyes, solace themselves with a meditative cluck, and "go on with their hatching."—*Chicago Mail.*

THE Reading (Pa.) *Gazette*, (Democratic), thus speaks of the nomination of Greeley and Brown:

"The Blair influence traded him off for B. Gratz Brown, and when the mystic veil that covered the secret workings of the wire-pullers of the Liberal Republican new era had dropped, there stood the life-long representatives of all the odds and ends of political and social isms, which for the last thirty years had irritated the vitals of the nation and culminated in the civil war, as the nominee of the Convention. It was as flat a slap in the face of the coalition Democrats, as ever a bad boy got from his step-mother."

This is a good thing to say of candidates, which in the course of human events, it may become necessary to vote for.

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" " closes at 8 P. M.
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" " closes at 1:00 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:10 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
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I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

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Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.
2:10 A. M. ..... 5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.
5:10 A. M. ..... 5:00 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.
10.30 A. M. ..... 3:05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.
7:25 A. M. ..... 3:15 P. M.

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F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt. }
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

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TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, Nov. 12, 1871, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 15 p. m
"	Decatur	2 55 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	11 10 a. m
"	Decatur	1 55 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	8 50 a. m
"	Keokuk	10 20 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 10 a. m

CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

Leave	Lafayette	10 50 p. m
"	Decatur	5 15 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	1 00 p. m
"	Keokuk	2 40 p. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 00 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	5 15 a. m
"	Decatur	11 50 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 15 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St. Louis	8 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 15 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	5 00 p. m

CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

Leave	Keokuk	4 35 a m
"	Quincy	8 55 "
"	Decatur	4 00 p m
Arrive	Lafayette	10 10 "

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave	Decatur, Mail, West	3 00 p. m
"	" Accom "	6 10 a. m
Leave	Pekin, Mail, East	7 30 a. m
"	" Accom "	4 35 p. m

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[OFFICIAL.]

LAWS
OF THE
UNITED STATES PASSED AT THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 40.]

AN ACT to amend the thirty-second section of an act entitled "An act to reduce internal taxes, and for other purposes," approved July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section thirty-two of an act entitled "An act to reduce internal taxes, and for other purposes," approved July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows: SECTION 32. *And be it further enacted,* That merchandise transported under the provisions of this act shall be conveyed in cars, vessels, or vehicles, securely fastened with locks or seals, under the exclusive control of the officers of customs; and inspectors shall be stationed at proper points along the designated routes, or upon any car, vessel, vehicle, or train, at the discretion of the said Secretary, and at the expense of the said companies respectively. And such merchandise shall not be unladen or transshipped between the ports of first arrival and final destination, unless authorized by the regulations of the Secretary of the Treasury, in cases which may arise from a difference in the gauge of railroads, or from accidents, or from legal intervention, or from low water, ice, or other unavoidable obstruction to navigation; but in no case shall there be permitted any breaking of the original packages of such merchandise.

Approved, April 5, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 41.]

AN ACT defining the rights of part owners of vessels in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That any person or persons or body corporate having more than one-half ownership of any vessel shall have the same power to remove a captain, who is also part owner of such vessel, as such majority owners now have to remove a captain not an owner: *Provided,* That this act shall not apply where there is a valid written agreement subsisting, by virtue of which such captain would be entitled to possession, nor in any case where a captain has possession as part owner, obtained before the passage of this act.

Approved, April 9, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 42.]

AN ACT to change the time for holding the spring term of the United States circuit and district courts at Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That instead of the time now provided for in the act approved February first, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, "to change the times for holding circuit and district courts of the United States for western district of Virginia," for holding the spring term at Harrisonburg, in that State, said courts shall be held thereat on the Tuesday after the first Monday in May in each year.

Approved, April 13, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 43.]

AN ACT for the relief of the officers and crew of the United States Steamer "Kearsarge."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to pay, out of money hereafter to be appropriated, to Rear Admiral John A. Winslow, and the officers and crew belonging to the United States steamer "Kearsarge," while engaged in the capture and destruction of the vessel called the "Alabama," on the nineteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, the sum of one hundred and ninety thousand dollars, the same being the estimated value thereof, to be distributed to the officers and crew attached to the "Kearsarge," at the date above named according to the pay-roll of the ship at the time, and to be in lieu of the bounty authorized by the eleventh section of the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "An act to regulate prize proceedings, and so forth:" *Provided,* That no money shall be paid to the assignee of any of said officers or crew, entitled to receive the same, but only to himself in person, or to his wife, or to his personal representatives, excluding any such assignee: *And provided further,* That if any of the officers or crew of said United States steamer "Kearsarge" shall have received the bounty provided for by the said section eleven of the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, the same shall be deducted from the amount to be paid to such officer or seaman under this act.

Approved, April 17, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 44.]

AN ACT to change the boundaries of the collection district of Brazos de Santiago, in the State of Texas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the county of Starr, now forming a part of the collection district of Corpus Christi, in the State of Texas, shall be detached therefrom and annexed to the collection district of Brazos de Santiago, and form a part of said district in said State.

Approved, April 17, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 45.]

AN ACT to authorize William C. Jardine to make application to the Commissioner of Patents for the issue of a patent for his improvement in brake and rest for carts.

Whereas, William C. Jardine's application for improvement in brake and rest for carts was passed for issue September eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, but by the neglect of his agent application and payment for the issue of the same was not made within the time required by law: Therefore,

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That William C. Jardine be authorized to make application to the Commissioner of Patents for the issue of a patent for his improvement in brake and rest for carts, and that the Commissioner of Patents be authorized to issue a patent for the same if he should deem it right and proper: *Provided,* That such application be made, and the proper fees be paid within one year from the passage of this act, anything in the proviso contained in the thirty-fifth section of the act entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and amend the statutes relating to patents and copyrights," approved July eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy, to the contrary notwithstanding: *Provided,* That the issue of such patent shall not effect the right to use said patented improvement of any person who, since the eleventh day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and prior to the approval of this act, may have procured, and at the time of such approval shall be using, said patented improvement.

Approved, April 17, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 46.]

AN ACT to erect two new land districts in the State of Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all that part of the State of Nebraska which lies west of range twenty-eight west of the sixth principal meridian, in the State of Nebraska, be, and the same is hereby, constituted and erected into a new land district, to be named and called the Western district.

SEC. 2. That all those parts of the present South Platte and Nemaha districts, in the State of Nebraska, which lie west of range four and east of range twenty-eight west of the sixth principal meridian be, and the same are hereby, erected into and constituted a new land district, to be named and called the Republican Valley District.

SEC. 3. That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a register and a receiver for each of said land districts, who shall be required to reside at the site of the land-office in each case, respectively, and shall perform like duties and be entitled to receive the same amount of compensation, respectively, as are now prescribed by law for other land-offices in said State.

Approved, April 22, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 47.]

AN ACT to extend the time for filing claims for additional bounty, under the act of July twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time for filing claims for additional bounty, under the act of July twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and which expired by limitation January thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, be, and the same is hereby, revived and extended until the thirtieth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-three; and that all claims for such bounties filed in the proper department after the thirteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and before the passage of this act, shall be deemed to have been filed in due time, and shall be considered and decided without filing.

Approved, April 22, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 48.]

AN ACT in relation to bounties.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That every volunteer, non-commissioned officer, private, musician, and artificer who enlisted into the military service of the United States prior to July twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, under the proclamation of the President of the United States of May third, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and the orders of the War Department issued in pursuance thereof, and was actually mustered before August sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, into any regiment, company, or battery, which was accepted by the War Department under such proclamation and orders, shall be paid the full bounty of one hundred dollars, under and by virtue of the said proclamation and orders of the War Department, in force at the time of such enlistment and prior to July twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-one: *Provided,* That the same has not already been paid.

Approved April 22, 1872.

$100 Reward for a case of Neuralgia or Rheumatism of any form whatever, (considered curable by any physician), that *Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Syrup* will not cure—warranted uninjurious, and a physician's prescription.

$5000 Reward offered to the Proprietors of any Medicine for Rheumatism and Neuralgia able to produce one-fourth as many genuine living cures within the same period of time as Dr. Fitler's Vegetable Rheumatic Remedy.

$2000 Reward offered to any person proving Dr. Jos. P. Fitler, M. D., to be other than a graduate of the celebrated University of Pennsylvania in 1833, and Professor of Chemistry—treating Rheumatism specially for 39 years.

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$250 Reward for the name of any warranted preparation for Rheumatism and Neuralgia sold under a similar legal guarantee, setting forth the exact number of bottles to cure or return the amount paid for same to the patient in case of failure to cure. A full description of cases requiring guarantees must be forwarded by letter to Philadelphia. The guarantee, signed, and stating quantity to cure, will be returned by mail, with advice and instructions, without any charge. Address all letters to Dr. J. P. FITLER, No. 45 South Fourth Street. No other remedy is offered on such terms.

Medical Advice sent by letter without charge, from time to time; personal examination in Rheumatic complaints seldom necessary. Sufferers desiring guarantee should obtain direct, or from the agent, blank application to be filled up containing questions to be answered and mailed to Philadelphia, signed by the patient. Dr. Fitler's Rheumatic Remedy is used inwardly only, and is sold by druggists at $1.25 per bottle—six bottles for $6.50. Get a circular explaining the various forms of Rheumatism, containing prominent testimonials, of the special agent.

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Decatur, April 29, 1872—daw-1y.

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Decatur, Feb. 23, 1872-tf.

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E. R. ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 1 South side New square. [a23-dly

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr. 1-dtf.

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All Filth, Dirt or Rubbish

Within ten days from the date hereof, from the ally or street in rear or adjoining your premises, under penalty of the Law made and provided. The following is the Ordinance of the city in such case made:

SECTION 2. Whoever shall throw, place or leave any ashes, dirt, filth, paper or other rubbish, in or upon any street, alley or sidewalk, in front or adjoining any premises owned or occupied by him, under his control, shall be subject to a penalty of not less than two dollars, and to a like penalty for each hour the same may remain after notice to remove the same by the Mayor, the Marshal, the Supervisor, or any Public Officer.

John W. Haworth,
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 30, 1872-dlw.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Bushler's shoe store

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich and David H. Hellman, partners as J. Ullrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Corn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, dec'd, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block "F," in the town of Oakley: also, the warehouse grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning—all being in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 25th day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 8th day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.

m14-d20d]

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry Ebert and against Frederick Snyder, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north east quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), except twenty (20) feet off west side, all in section eighteen (18), township sixteen (16) north, range three east of the third principal meridian. Taken as the property of the said Frederick Snyder which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day; for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 3d day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
may3-d-tds] Sheriff Macon Co.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Hile, Dec'd, late of Macon county, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

C. H. GARVER,
Mch2-nw,] Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Francis Rogers, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

DAVID P. KELLER,
may2-w6w-t] Administrator.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McCay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the county Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PALLAS McCAY,
may9-w8t] Administrator.

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Thomas E. Jones, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PETER A. JONES, } Adm'rs,
JESSE GREENFIELD, }

April 1, 1872-daw 6w.

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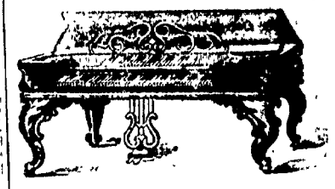

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April 15—daw-tf.

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April 1, 1872—d-tf.

MACON COUNTY

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WARREN & DURFEE.

April 1, 1872-d-tf

Reliable Fire Insurance

NEW YORK

UNDERWRITERS'

AGENCY.

Cash Assets January 1, 1872,

$3,666,212.85.

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CHICAGO, December 5, 1871.

To the Officers of the Germania, Hanover, Niagara and Republic Fire Ins. Co's, New York

GENTLEMEN: The course pursued by your Companies in the adjustment and payment of our own claims, and so far as we know, ALL claims for losses in the great fire in Chicago, has been so highly honorable, prompt and straightforward, and marked by such apparent desire to deal justly towards all parties, under all circumstances, that we desire voluntarily to acknowledge it to the business public. We conceive that no stronger test could be made, both of the responsibility and of the integrity of an insurance organization, than yours has passed through here, successfully and creditably. With an unimpaired Capital and undiminished responsibility, and a record for equitable settlement, certainly surpassed by none, we congratulate you on the career of future prosperity, to which your actions here have so justly entitled you, and remain,

Yours very respectfully,

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April 1, 1872-d-tf

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OF NEW YORK CITY,

Devoted Exclusively to Fire Insurance.

Cash Capital,

One Million Dollars!

Assets January 1, 1872,

$2,509,526.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire Paid

$1,485,888.

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AGENTS.

April 1, 1872 d-tf.

Insurance Company

OF

NORTH AMERICA,

PHILADELPHIA.

ORGANIZED A. D. 1794.

OLDEST INSURANCE CO. IN AMERICA.

Cash Assets, January 1, 1872,

$3,212,176.

The OLD NORTH AMERICA commenced business April 10th, 1794, has since been in SUCCESSFUL and UNINTERRUPTED operation for 78 years.

Losses in the Chicago Fire paid,

$580,000 00.

And continues to offer its services to those seeking RELIABLE INDEMNITY against loss by fire.

☞ For Policies in the above Sterling Old Company apply to

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872-1-tf.

FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10, block 1, North addition, cor. Union and Edmund sts.; size, 75x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts.; size, 85x140 feet. A very desirable and convenient location; offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4—fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts.; lot 8, 63 feet front, lot 9, 40 feet front, depth 150 feet. Price, together, $650; can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st. Just west of the Moline, size 5x1?? feet, each. Will be sold together at $450, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 1?5 feet on both streets, 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet, one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Culver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Mason st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms, lots fenced. Can be had for $900, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 1, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair. lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 3, block, 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

LOT 1, block 4, Robinson's addition; situated on the corner of Green and College sts. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

April 26, 1872 d-tf.

THE

Railway Passengers' Assurance Co.,

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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

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Assets January 1, 1872,

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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

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INSURANCE CO.

OF SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

CASH CAPITAL, $5,000,00

Total Assets, Jan. 1, 1872,

$1,065,606.00.

Losses in Chicago Fire paid, $500,000

☞ Full lines upon desirable risks accepted at reasonable Rates.

WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

April 1, 1872—d-tf.

A RUINED FARMER.

A Chicago paper tells about another farmer who has been ruined by Mr. Greeley's insane theories. Horace, it appears, went out to inspect this man's farm, and during the visit he advised his host to purchase some kind of a new-fangled, duplex-elliptic, burglar-proof steam plow, belonging to a misguided miscreant who advertises in the *Tribune.*

The confiding agriculturist bought one of those plows, and paid six hundred dollars for it. The first time he took it out in the field the throttle valve got out of order, and the machine started off with a spurt.

It ran over the farmer's oldest boy, killing him on the spot; it tore down two dozen panels of fence; swooped into the stack-yard; set fire to three thousand bushels of grain; cut the legs off of a short-horn cow; ripped forty peach trees up by the roots; burst into the house, upsetting the stove and crushing the cook to death, dashed through the parlor, gouging a furrow in the Brussels carpet, and devastating the piano; snorted out through the wall, leaving the edifice a crumbling ruin; went cavorting down the road, whistling and puffing and carrying on generally like mad, until it reached the school house.

Into that seat of learning it swooped with a wild and awful yell, and, jamming up against the blackboard, it burst its boiler, scalding eighteen scholars to death, and distributing the school master in microscopic fragments around over the four adjoining counties.

And now, if you wish to cause that farmer to act insanely—if you desire to see that deluded agriculturist lie down on the grass and tear his hair and groan and roll over and howl—just ask him if he intends to vote for Horace Greeley for President

JOSH BILLINGS ON FREE LOVE

I beleaf in free fight, especially among cats and dogs.

I beleaf in free rides—on a gate.

I beleaf in freedum of every slave on arth.

But free love is one of them kinds of freedum that it don't do to limber with.

If this world was a gardin of Edin and full of Adam and Eve, az they waz when they was fust launched, then I kan imagine it might do for some other Adam to hold my Eve on his lap and talk about his affinity and spiritual essence, and play lamb.

In them daze there was no humin natur, it was all God natur.

Humin natur has been soaked so much sinse, it is too weak to be trusted in a lot whar the seed is poor, next to a meddo, without much fence between, nor enny poke on.

Free love wants more poke than enny other animal.

I don't believe in total depravity—unless a man has a good chance.

Free love is a good deal like drinking 6 shilling gin for beverage. Beveridge is a Chinese word and means cussidness.

And the free luv I have witnessed thus far, has existed between a villinous letcher on one side, and a lunatic virtue on the other side, that has been deodorized out of its truth, and had lost aul of its modesty and shame in huntin a condishun whar sin ceased to be a crime.

The fust free lover we have enny akount ov was the devil.

A VERITABLE plague of caterpillars prevails in the country surrounding Memphis. In such immense quantities do these creatures cover the ground that the tracks of the railroads traversing the district most frequented by them have to be swept before the passenger trains can pass; freight trains are divided up and run a few cars at a time. Thus the insignificant caterpillar can do what the stately buffalo cannot—obstruct the all but resistless locomotive. Foliage has suffered severely from this novel invasion, the woods on the river shore opposite Memphis being literally stripped bare of leaves. Growing crops have fortunately thus far escaped injury from the crawling destroyers of the leaves of trees.

IT is palpable that the interests of this country require a jealous guardianship of the rights of neutrals in time of war. No great nation is secure from hostilities with foreign powers, and it is safe to assume that we shall not be a party to one in a dozen of the international struggles of the next hundred years. During wars between France and England our statesmen were called upon to insist with emphasis upon the rights of neutrals, and to give these rights a wide construction. Like necessities will doubtless recur, and should we now engage in a war to sustain the claims for consequential damages, similar claims would return upon us in the future, and compel us, sooner or later, to assume our normal position as a nation championing the rights of neutrals.—*St. Louis Democrat.*

THE New York *World* classifies its Democratic exchanges thus: In favor of a straight-out Democratic ticket, 44, in favor of awaiting the action of the Democratic convention, 88; in favor of the Cincinnati nominee, 29.

THE VATICAN.—The Vatican is a city in itself. There are fifty different buildings, fourteen interior courts, twelve thousand rooms, and three thousand inhabitants. There were formerly not so many of the latter but the number has doubled since the 20th of September. There are cardinals and lords, workmen and peasants, soldiers and servants, men and women; there are immense ornamental gardens, vineyards and kitchen gardens. It might be called a city without streets Nothing has been changed at the Vatican since the day the Italian soldiers took Rome. The offices have remained the same and the ministers have not been changed, Antonelli is still Secretary of State, Negroni Minister of the Interior, Randi Minister of Police, and Kanzler Minister of War, Beradi, minister of Commerce, who is very rich, has left the Vatican.

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"	"	closes at 8 P. M.
Southern	"	arrives at 5:30 A. M.
"	"	closes at 1:00 P. M.
Eastern	"	arrives at 2:35 P. M.
"	"	closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western	"	arrives at 11:40 P. M.
"	"	closes at 1:55 P. M.

Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
☞ Daily through Chicago mail closes at 1.00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.

2:10 A. M. .... 5:05 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:10 A. M. .... 5:00 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

10.30 A. M. .... 3:05 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

7:25 A. M. .... 3:15 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL, Gen. Sup't, } Chicago
F. J. TUCKER, Gen. Ft. Agt., }
E. M. MISNER, Agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, Nov. 12, 1871, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	Toledo	11 15 p. m
"	Decatur	2 05 p. m
Arrive	Quincy	9 25 p. m
"	Keokuk	10 15 p. m
"	St. Louis	7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	Toledo	11 10 a. m
"	Decatur	1 55 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	8 50 a. m
"	Keokuk	10 20 a. m
"	St. Louis	7 10 a. m

CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

Leave	Lafayette	10 50 p. m
"	Decatur	6 10 a. m
Arrive	Quincy	1 00 p. m
"	Keokuk	2 40 p. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave	St. Louis	7 00 a. m
"	Keokuk	4 35 a. m
"	Quincy	6 15 a. m
"	Decatur	11 50 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	2 15 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave	St Louis	3 30 p. m
"	Keokuk	6 15 p. m
"	Quincy	7 10 p. m
"	Decatur	2 20 a. m
Arrive	Toledo	6 00 p. m

CINCINNATI EXPRESS.

Leave	Keokuk	1 35 a. m
"	Quincy	8 55 "
"	Decatur	4 00 p. m
Arrive	Lafayette	10 10 "

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 3 00 p. m
" " Accom " .... 8 10 a. m

Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 7 30 a. m
" " Accom " .... 1 35 p. m

GEO. H. BURROWS, Gen'l Sup't, Toledo.
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[OFFICIAL.]

LAWS

OF THE

UNITED STATES PASSED AT THE SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 10.]

AN ACT to amend the thirty-second section of an act entitled "An act to reduce internal taxes, and for other purposes," approved July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section thirty-two of an act entitled "An act to reduce internal taxes, and for other purposes," approved July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows: SECTION 32. *And be it further enacted,* That merchandise transported under the provisions of this act shall be conveyed in cars, vessels, or vehicles, securely fastened with locks or seals, under the exclusive control of the officers of customs; and inspectors shall be stationed at proper points along the designated routes, or upon any car, vessel, vehicle, or train, at the discretion of the said Secretary, and at the expense of the said companies respectively. And such merchandise shall not be unladen or transhipped between the ports of first arrival and final destination, unless authorized by the regulations of the Secretary of the Treasury, in cases which may arise from a difference in the guage of railroads, or from accidents, or from legal intervention, or from low water, ice, or other unavoidable obstruction to navigation; but in no case shall there be permitted any breaking of the original packages of such merchandise.

Approved, April 5, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 11.]

AN ACT defining the rights of part owners of vessels in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That any person or persons or body corporate having more than one-half ownership of any vessel shall have the same power to remove a captain, who is also part owner of such vessel, as such majority owners now have to remove a captain not an owner: *Provided,* That this act shall not apply where there is a valid written agreement subsisting, by virtue of which such captain would be entitled to possession, nor in any case where a captain has possession as part owner, obtained before the passage of this act.

Approved, April 9, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 12.]

AN ACT to change the time for holding the spring term of the United States circuit and district courts at Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That instead of the time now provided for in the act approved February first, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, "to change the times for holding circuit and district courts of the United States for western district of Virginia," for holding the spring term at Harrisonburg, in that State, said courts shall be held thereat on the Tuesday after the first Monday in May in each year.

Approved, April 18, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 13.]

AN ACT for the relief of the officers and crew of the United States Steamer "Kearsarge."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to pay, out of money hereafter to be appropriated, to Rear Admiral John A. Winslow, and the officers and crew belonging to the United States steamer "Kearsarge," while engaged in the capture and destruction of the vessel called the "Alabama," on the nineteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, the sum of one hundred and ninety thousand dollars, the same being the estimated value thereof, to be distributed to the officers and crew attached to the "Kearsarge," at the date above named according to the pay-roll of the ship at the time, and to be in lieu of the bounty authorized by the eleventh section of the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "An act to regulate prize proceedings, and so forth:" *Provided,* That no money shall be paid to the assignee of any of said officers or crew, entitled to receive the same, but only to himself in person, or to his wife, or to his personal representatives, excluding any such assignee: *And provided further,* That if any of the officers or crew of said United States steamer "Kearsarge" shall have received the bounty provided for by the said section eleven of the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, the same shall be deducted from the amount to be paid to such officer or seaman under this act.

Approved, April 17, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 14.]

AN ACT to change the boundaries of the collection district of Brazos de Santiago, in the State of Texas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the county of Starr, now forming a part of the collection district of Corpus Christi, in the State of Texas, shall be detached therefrom and annexed to the collection district of Brazos de Santiago, and form a part of said district in said State.

Approved, April 17, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 15.]

AN ACT to authorize William C. Jardine to make application to the Commissioner of Patents for the issue of a patent for his improvement in brake and rest for carts.

Whereas, William C. Jardine's application for improvement in brake and rest for carts was passed for issue September eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, but by the neglect of his agent application and payment for the issue of the same was not made within the time required by law: Therefore,

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That William C. Jardine be authorized to make application to the Commissioner of Patents for the issue of a patent for his improvement in brake and rest for carts, and that the Commissioner of Patents be authorized to issue a patent for the same if he should deem it right and proper: *Provided,* That such application be made, and the proper fees be paid within one year from the passage of this act, anything in the proviso contained in the thirty-fifth section of the act entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and amend the statutes relating to patents and copyrights," approved July eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy, to the contrary notwithstanding: *Provided,* That the issue of such patent shall not effect the right to use said patented improvement of any person who, since the eleventh day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and prior to the approval of this act, may have procured, and at the time of such approval shall be using, said patented improvement.

Approved, April 17, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 16.]

AN ACT to erect two new land districts in the State of Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all that part of the State of Nebraska which lies west of range twenty-eight west of the sixth principal meridian, in the State of Nebraska, be, and the same is hereby, constituted and erected into a new land district, to be named and called the Western district.

SEC. 2. That all those parts of the present South Platte and Nemaha districts, in the State of Nebraska, which lie west of range four and east of range twenty-eight west of the sixth principal meridian be, and the same are hereby, erected into and constituted a new land district, to be named and called the Republican Valley District.

SEC. 3. That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a register and a receiver for each of said land districts, who shall be required to reside at the site of the land-office in each case, respectively, and shall perform like duties and be entitled to receive the same amount of compensation, respectively, as are now prescribed by law for other land-offices in said State.

Approved, April 22, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 17.]

AN ACT to extend the time for filing claims for additional bounty, under the act of July twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time for filing claims for additional bounty, under the act of July twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and which expired by limitation January thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, be, and the same is hereby, revived and extended until the thirtieth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-three; and that all claims for such bounties filed in the proper department after the thirteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and before the passage of this act, shall be deemed to have been filed in due time, and shall be considered and decided without filing.

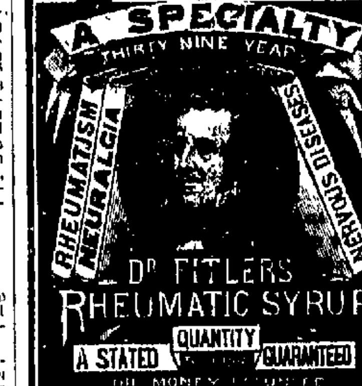
Approved, April 22, 1872.

[GENERAL NATURE—No. 18.]

AN ACT in relation to bounties.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That every volunteer, non-commissioned officer, private, musician, and artificer who enlisted into the military service of the United States prior to July twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, under the proclamation of the President of the United States of May third, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and the orders of the War Department issued in pursuance thereof, and was actually mustered before August sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, into any regiment, company, or battery, which was accepted by the War Department under such proclamation and orders, shall be paid the full bounty of one hundred dollars, under and by virtue of the said proclamation and orders of the War Department, in force at the time of such enlistment and prior to July twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-one: *Provided,* That the same has not already been paid.

Approved April 22, 1872.



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Decatur, Feb. 23, 1871-tf.

PROFESSIONAL.

E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [n23-dly

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main street. [Ap 1-dtf

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John W. Haworth,
City Marshal.

Decatur, April 30, 1872-d1w.

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF THREE EXECUTIONS, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich and David H. Hellman, partners as J. Ullrich & Co., and against Emanuel Rhodes, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, deceased, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Adam M. Corn, and one in favor of William T. Howell, Administrator of estate of James Howell, dec'd, and against Emanuel Rhodes and Samuel Cunningham, by the firm name of Rhodes & Cunningham, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot five (5), and the west half (½) of lots No. eleven (11) and twelve (12), in block "1," in the town of Oakley; also, the warehouse grounds being on the south side of the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway, commencing thirty-three (33) feet from centre of track, and four and one-half (4½) rods east of Centre street, and running south from that point one hundred (100) feet, thence east forty-four (44) feet, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence west forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning—all being in the town of Oakley, county of Macon, and State of Illinois. Taken as the property of the said Emanuel Rhodes which I shall offer at public sale, at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 25th day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand to satisfy said Executions.

This 4th day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon County.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, in favor of Henry Ebert and against Frederick Snyder, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north-east quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼), except twenty (20) feet off west side all in section eighteen (18), township sixteen (16), north, range three east of the third principal meridian. Taken as the property of the said Frederick Snyder which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-House, in Macon county, in said State, on the 23d day of May, A. D., 1872, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 3d day of May, A. D., 1872.

GEORGE M. WOOD,
Sheriff Macon Co.

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Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William Iffle, Dec'd, late of Macon county, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 27th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

C. H. GARVER,
Administrator.

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Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Francis Rogers, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

DAVID P. KELLER,
Administrator.

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Administrator's Notice.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William McCay, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

DALLAS McCAY,
Administrator.

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Administrator's Notice

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Thomas F. Jones, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 28th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

PETER A. JONES, } Adm'rs.
JESSE GREENFIELD, }

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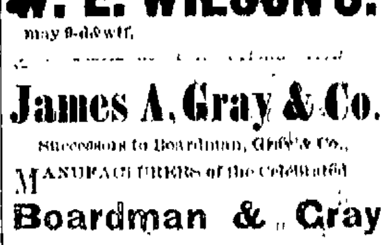

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, May 20.

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

HEADQUARTERS REPUBLICAN UNION STATE CENTRAL COM. OF ILLINOIS, CHICAGO, March 20, 1872.

The Republican voters of Illinois are requested to elect delegates to a Republican State Convention to be held at the city of Springfield, on Wednesday, the twenty-second day of May, at the hour of 12 M., for the purpose of electing

Forty-two delegates to the Republican National Convention, to be held in Philadelphia, on Wednesday, June 5th, 1872.

Also, for nominating candidates to be voted for at the November election, to fill the following offices, to-wit:

GOVERNOR,
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR,
AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS,
SECRETARY OF STATE,
STATE TREASURER,
ATTORNEY GENERAL,

One Clerk of the Supreme Court in each Grand Division,

Two Presidential Electors at-large, and

Nineteen District Electors.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for the Republican Presidential Electors at the election in 1868, to-wit: One delegate for every four hundred (400) votes, and one for each fraction of one hundred and fifty (150) votes.

The following shows the number of votes cast and the number of delegates each county will be entitled to send, to-wit:

County.	Vote	Del	County.	Vote	Del.
Adams	4774	12	Lee	3005	8
Alexander	639	2	Livingston	3448	9
Bond	1589	4	Logan	2515	6
Boone	2050	5	Macon	2771	7
Brown	960	2	Macoupin	3153	8
Bureau	3844	10	Madison	4102	11
Calhoun	383	1	Marion	2480	6
Carroll	2202	6	Marshall	1934	5
Cass	1077	3	Mason	1671	4
Champaign	3250	8	Massac	883	2
Christian	2017	5	McDonough	2936	7
Clark	1549	4	McHenry	3296	8
Clay	1904	4	McLean	5895	15
Clinton	1559	4	Menard	1066	3
Coles	2058	7	Mercer	2078	5
Cook	27527	69	Monroe	966	3
Crawford	1150	3	Montgomery	2173	6
Cumberland	1007	3	Morgan	2663	7
DeKalb	3441	9	Moultrie	857	2
DeWitt	1652	4	Ogle	5666	9
Douglas	1846	4	Peoria	4212	11
DuPage	2369	6	Perry	1581	4
Edgar	2398	6	Piatt	1265	3
Edwards	888	3	Pike	2775	7
Effingham	1021	3	Pope	1151	3
Fayette	1711	4	Pulaski	534	1
Ford	921	2	Putnam	765	2
Franklin	1021	3	Randolph	1943	5
Fulton	3669	9	Rock Island	2885	7
Gallatin	704	2	Saline	1042	3
Greene	1862	4	Sangamon	4411	11
Grundy	1962	5	Schuyler	1311	3
Hamilton	809	2	Scott	1135	3
Hancock	3696	9	Shelby	1853	5
Hardin	512	1	Stark	1394	4
Henderson	1369	3	St. Clair	4811	12
Henry	4483	11	Stephenson	3253	8
Iroquois	2764	7	Tazewell	2728	7
Jackson	1303	3	Union	956	3
Jasper	971	2	Vermillion	3285	8
Jefferson	1116	3	Wabash	764	2
JoDaviess	2980	8	Warren	2898	7
Johnson	1234	3	Washington	1968	5
Kane	5147	13	Wayne	1525	4
Kankakee	2808	7	White	1070	3
Kendall	4065	5	Whiteside	3509	9
Knox	5103	13	Will	4912	11
Lake	2515	6	Williamson	1116	4
LaSalle	6231	16	Winnebago	4567	15
Lawrence	1073	4	Woodford	1862	2

In nominating Clerks of the Supreme Court, the Counties comprising the three Grand Divisions will be called in their order in each Division respectively.

In consequence of the change in the Congressional and Senatorial Districts throughout the State, it is suggested that in each County Convention called to send delegates to this Convention, one person shall be selected to represent said county upon the different Congressional and Senatorial District Committees

Signed by the Republican State Central Committee.

A. C. BABCOCK, Ch'm'n.

DANIEL SHEPARD, Sec'y.

A. C. Babcock,	O. M. Hatch,
C. B. Farwell,	K. Jones,
D. S. Hammond,	Geo. S. Bangs,
C. B. Boyce,	J. Robbins,
Geo. E. Wait,	A. McIntosh,
S. Wait,	John L. Routt,
James P. Root,	C. E. Lippincott,
John I. Rinaker,	Jas. S. Martin,
J. M. McCutcheon,	P. H. Pope.

Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republicans of the 14th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates to attend a Convention of said District, to be held at Tolono, in Champaign county, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 1872,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress for said District, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every four hundred and fraction over one hundred and fifty votes cast for President in 1868, which will entitle the respective counties of said 14th Congressional District to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	8	Piatt	3
Coles	7	Vermilion	8
Douglas	4		
Macon	7	Total	37

By order of the committee.

J. S. WRIGHT, Chairman.

W. T. FOSTER, Secretary.

JESSE LOCKHART, of Niantic, was one of the orators at the Democratic class meeting on Saturday. He expressed his willingness to "have his throat cut from ear to ear" rather than vote for the farmer of Chappaqua.—Jesse's Democracy is bred in the bone, and lies entirely too deep to wash out as easily as some of the leaders would like.

SENATOR TRUMBULL, it is reported, says that he has gone into the Cincinnati movement, and "burned the bridges behind him. Not so with the Democratic orators of last Saturday, every one of whom declared his willingness to go for a candidate of his party provided there was a chance to win. Major Nelson told the whole story in his speech, when he said "there are not enough of us Democrats to elect a President, *and we can't make any more.*" That last declaration, however, does not seem to deter them from trying their hands on the "Liberal" Republicans.

ONE OF THE SPEAKERS, at the Democratic love-feast on Saturday, gave expression to his desire to see the Republican party, "which had brought the country to its present deplorable condition," hurled from power. If the people can be made to believe that the unexampled material prosperity with which the country has been blessed for the past few years, whereby they have been enabled to better their condition in life more rapidly than ever before, and which has shown itself in the building up of every enterprise that adds comfort to their homes and the development of every resource that lay hidden and dormant during "the good old Democratic days,"—if the people can be made to regard all these as evidences of the existence of a deplorable public condition justly chargeable to the Republican party, they will not be slow to hurl that party from power. If they can be made to believe that labor would have been more highly respected in case the institution of human slavery had been preserved; that the finances of the country would have been more satisfactory if the wild-cat banks inaugurated under the reign of the guileless Matteson had not been superseded by a currency which is equally good in Portland or Galveston; that the government would have been more highly respected abroad, or more sincerely loved at home, if, in 1861, the "wayward sisters" had been Democratically allowed to "depart in peace"—if they can be made to believe all this, they will be sure to again call the Democratic party to the front. But nothing short of a miracle will ever bring about such a change in public sentiment, and as the age of miracles has passed by we presume that the country will have to remain in its present "deplorable condition."

ONE NOTICEABLE FEATURE of the Democratic-Greeley speeches at the Court House on Saturday was the light in which the speakers regarded the "Liberal" movement. They invariably seemed to look upon it as a well-laid scheme to restore the Democratic party to power. Not one of the speakers who favored the Cincinnati movement appeared to have any idea that it meant the organization of a new political party, but all hailed it as a favorable opening of the way which leads to the public crib. And it was also peculiarly noticeable that the Democrats who took this view of the situation happen to be the same ones who have so long felt an itching desire to get some little office.

MAJOR NELSON, in his speech on Saturday, in answer to the objection that the support of Greeley by the Democrats was equivalent to being swallowed by the "Liberal" Republicans, asked his audience if they ever heard of a sardine swallowing a whale. How do our "Liberal" friends like the idea of being compared to Sardines? And if they admire that, how do they relish the idea of being swallowed by the Democratic whale?

SHOULD Mr. Greeley be nominated by the Democratic Convention, he would not be so strong a candidate as many suppose. The theory of his strength in that position is, that he would be supported by the entire Democratic vote and the whole Cincinnati disaffection. But this seems to us a misapprehension. The great bulk of his Republican support would disappear if he were the formal Democratic candidate Republicans would understand that the necessary bargains that must follow such a nomination to make its success even probable would be a betrayal of their principles and traditions.—And while the Republicans withdrew, the nomination of a Republican by the Democratic Convention could only be interpreted as a virtual dissolution of the party. Its conservative element would in a body support the certainty of a prosperous stability with General Grant rather than the wild chaos of the future upon which the election of Mr. Greeley would usher the country. The Democratic Convention could not well hold its party if it nominated Mr. Adams; it would inevitably disperse it if it nominated Mr. Greeley.

There is another view which the Cincinnati gentlemen may well ponder. The spectacle of Horace Greeley and a following of angry Republicans combined with the late rebels and the Copperhead organization to defeat General Grant and the Republican party would excite an indignation and disgust in the patriotic heart of this country, in which the wounds and terrible memories of the war and the struggle which led to it are still fresh and sacred, so profound that there would be another uprising of the loyal people which would carry Grant as triumphantly into the Presidency as he and they carried the Union army to victory. One of the fatal errors at Cincinnati was the supposition that, because the war is over, the war is practically forgotten. Consequently the hold of Grant upon the heart of the people is not understood. Editors and politicians and people with grudges and dreamers and theorists, and many honest and generous men, easily forget. But the people long and faithfully remember. When the election comes that memory will vote.—*Harper's Weekly.*

TELEGRAPHIC.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Congressional Summary.

SEVERAL IMPORTANT BILLS UNDER CONSIDERATION.

PROBABLE FAILURE OF THE IMPEACHMENT OF JUDGE BARNARD.

Political Inteiligence.

MARKETS, ETC.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The Senate fears that the habeas corpus extension bill will fail in the house, and hence its earnest desire to delay adjournment by recalling its resolution from the House, to adjourn on the 29th inst. The House, having kept the resolution two months is not disposed to accommodate. The House feels pretty confident that no bill giving the President the power to suspend the writ of habeas corpus during the Presidential campaign can be passed. The Democratic members at least are resolved that there shall be no such legislation at this session.

The action of the House on Saturday, in opening the door for the first time to the payment of the loyal Southern claimants, for whom awards have been made by the Southern Claims Commission, should not be misunderstood. The bill which passed to pay several hundred of these claimants is based on the precedent which the Committee on Claims have established, to pay for nothing but property actually taken by the United States authorities, and which comes within the law. Saving stores and supplies there is nothing allowed for losses or destruction of property, incidental damages, rent claimed for buildings or claims for the occupation of land for camping ground, etc. The largest claim allowed in the bill yesterday was to Waddy Thompson for $65,000.

The House passed a bill yesterday providing that the accounting officers of the Treasury be authorized and directed to transfer any indebtedness in the revenue account of Edmund Jussen, late collector of internal revenue at Chicago, Ill., arising from the loss or destroying or non-taking of certain warehouse bonds from the distillery of Haas & Powell before the same was destroyed by fire, to the revenue account of his successor in office.

There was a long contest in the Senate on yesterday over amendments proposed at different times to the army bill by Messrs. Stevenson and Cole, to compel the various Pacific railroads to pay up their interest to the Government on their second mortgage bonds. It came out in debate that by some supplemental legislation of Congress it was really a question whether the government could now compel these roads to pay the deferred interest. All the amendments therefore were voted down.

The House committee on public lands have agreed to a bill granting the right of way through the public lands to the St. Louis, Salem and Little Rock R. R. It provides that from the town of Cuba, Crawford county, Missouri, by way of Salem to Little Rock, there shall be granted the right of way, and also permission to take from the lands of the government gravel and earth to aid in its construction. The company is compelled to complete 20 miles of the road within two years, and the whole road within ten years. This bill will be reported to the House at the first opportunity.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Notwithstanding assertions to the contrary, it is a fact that the records of the Assembly do not show that a majority of the members voted for the articles of impeachment in the case of Judge Barnard, and grave doubts are expressed by eminent lawyers about the legality of the Legislature's action. The records show that on the 2d of May a resolution of impeachment was adopted by a yea and nay vote; that on the 11th the articles of impeachment were reported; that they were some time considered in Committee of the Whole; that at length a motion was passed to rise and recommend the adoption of articles to the House, and that in the House the vote on agreeing with this report was take viva voce, and that the speaker had no means of knowing whether all the members elected had voted; that the House was adjourned on that day, and that the adoption of the resolution of impeachment so many days before the presentation of the articles was irregular.

In the Plymouth Church lecture last night Beecher declared for the eight hour strikers, and bade them God speed. It is believed that all builders' trades unions will unite in the strike today, rejecting the employers' offer of a compromise at nine hours until Nov. 1st. No trouble is apprehended.

FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 20.—The *Sentinel* has changed hands, and the new proprietors make their bow to the public this morning. The articles of association filed with the secretary of state are signed by John Fishback, Lawrence G. Matthews and Thomas F. Ryan. The general management of the paper will be under the direction of Mr. Fishback, a highly respected citizen, and Mr. Matthews, for twenty years connected with the New Albany *Ledger*. The *Sentinel*, under the new arrangement, will be thoroughly Democratic as heretofore, but will independently discuss public and party measures and be free to criticise the acts of party leaders and public officials. The *Sentinel* is organized on a substantial basis, with every prospect of a prosperous career.

COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

PANA, ILL., May 18.—At the Christian County Republican Convention, to-day, at Taylorville, speeches were made and resolutions passed indorsing Grant's administration. Delegates were instructed to vote for Oglesby for Governor.

BELLEVILLE, ILL., May 18.—Republican County Convention held to-day. Delegates were appointed to the State Convention, general harmony and enthusiasm prevailing, adjourning with three cheers for Richard J. Oglesby and three cheers for the administration.

CHARLESTON, S. C. May 19.—A Democratic State Convention has been called at Columbia, on the 11th of June, to select delegates to Baltimore.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The *North American*—owned by Morton McMichael, leader of the Pennsylvania delegation to the Republican National Convention—will contain an editorial to-morrow demanding the selection of a Pennsylvanian for Vice-Presidential candidate in order to secure the success of the ticket in that State.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Wheat, steady, cash 1.51½; June 1.5; July 1.54.

Corn, weak, cash 47½; June 48¼; July 49⅝; August 50⅞.

Pork, nominal, nothing doing. June 12.75.

Lard, nothing doing yet.

Oats, quiet, 41½.

Rye, fair, 85.

Barley, fair, 61 bid.

Highwines, quiet, 81½.

Hogs, receipts for the last 48 hours, 11083; market slow, and 10c lower. Extreme range 4.00@4.25, bulk of sales at 4.00@4.20.

Cattle, 5.00@6.25.

Sheep, 7.00@8.50.

NEW YORK, May 20.—Flour, dull, 7.40@7.70.

Wheat, inactive, entirely nominal; 1.68@1.72, for No. 2 in in store.

Corn, fair demand, 75 afloat.

Oats, stronger, 57 in store.

Rye, inactive, nominal, 1.00.

Barley, inactive, quiet, held at 75@78.

Whiskey, quiet, firm, 90.

Pork, inactive, steady, 13.90.

Lard, fairly active, 9⅞.

Gold, 13⅛c.

THE Cincinnati *Gazette* does not mince matters when discoursing of Greeley's shortcomings, and particularly of his latest departure. It says: "Mr. Greeley has survived many blunders by means of the plea of honest simplicity. Can he survive this great blunder, to which he has added the sacrifice of all principle and the premiditation of monstrous treachery? He has cast off his lifelong disguise of honest simplicity, and has appeared in his character of a base trader, ready to sell his party, and all that his party has achieved by heroic sacrifices in the field and by fidelity in council, the tranquility of the country, and the safety of the freedman, to attain his own selfish ambition."

THE New York *Nation*, which has been long suffering from a soured stomach, and looked to the Dolly Varden Convention for relief, says tearfully, that all those who called the Cincinnati Convention "acknowledged privately that it was a failure; some of them admit it openly. Those of them who are supporting Mr. Greeley's nomination are doing so simply by way of making the best of a bad job. Not one of them considers him a desirable candidate, or looks forward to his election without grave apprehensions."

Mr. Thomas Scott, President of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, is also president of twenty-six other railroads He controls seven thousand miles of railroad, and credits to his salary account $170,000 per annum. He began railroading as a brakeman.

Since 1824 Baltimore has had thirteen national nominating conventions—Philadelphia, four, Chicago, three; and Harrisburg, Buffalo, New York, Charleston, Columbus and Cincinnati, one each. The coming Democratic convention will score fourteen for the monumental city.

Correspondents in Virginia ridicule the idea that Greeley is popular among the colored men of that State. They remember what part he took in foisting Walker, the Liberal, upon them as Governor in 1869. The results of his administration have disgusted them with liberalism.

Old "Public Calamity," is what Tom Hendricks, of Indiana, calls H. G.—This is harrowing to a respectable farmer.—*Mattoon Journal.*

The Democratic papers of Pennsylvania almost unanimously oppose Greeley, and demand a straight Democratic ticket

New Advertisements.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

Elias Kost, Joseph S. Farnum, to use of Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Wabash, the First National Bank, partners by name of Charles D. Bond, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank, William H. Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co., George S. Allison, and John M. Long, Peter Black and Robert B. Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brockway,

vs.

Jacob R. Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L. Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C. B. Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A. M. Livingston, William B. Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W. G. Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. C. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K. Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B. Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P. Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Em. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton; James H. Alexander, Administrator of T. K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown heirs and Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

Creditors' Bill.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, William B. Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown: notice is hereby given to thesaid Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Hannah Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, William B. Livingston, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of January, A. D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A.D. 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said J. W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court-House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDEN & ODOR,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E. PARK, T. LEE, J. M. IRWIN,
Solicitors for Complainants.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. (d-30d

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

Lewis F. Houck *vs.* Paschal K. Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight.

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering, and as to such defendants said cause will be heard *ex-parte.*

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't.

Decatur, May 20, 1872—d-1d.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A. D., 1872.

SAMUEL CLARK, vs. MOSES C. HICKS, } **Attachment.**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Moses C. Hicks, that a Writ of Attachment dated April 1, 1872, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the Clerk of said Court at the suit of the above-named Samuel Clark, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars; and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now, unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said Court, give bail, and plead in said cause by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said Court, in the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur and county aforesaid, commencing on the 22d day of July, A. D., 1872, judgment will be rendered against you, and in favor of the said Samuel Clark, for the said sum of One Thousand Dollars and the costs of this cause; and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Dated May 10, 1872.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT, Plaintiff's Att'ys.

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Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of William H. Proud, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

LOUISA PROUD, Administratrix.

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Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Willis Martin, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

R. H. MERIWEATHER Administrator, with Will annexed.

April 3, 1872-daw-6w.

Administrator's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of Christian county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, N. B. Chapman, Administrator of the estate of John Cochran, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the February Term, A. D., 1869, of said Court, to-wit, on the 15th day of February, 1869; I shall on Saturday, the 15th day of June next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, in front of the post office in Blue Mound, in Macon county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: The south half of lot No. 4, section 19, township 15 north, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, containing five 25-100 acres, on the following terms, to-wit; on a credit of six months, the purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the said purchase money.

N. B. CHAPMAN, Administrator estate of John Cochran dec'd.

Decatur, Ill., May 9, 1872—w-6w.

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May 6, 1872—d-tf.

LEGAL.

W. C. JOHNS, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

James W. Routh *vs.* Mary Wyatt and Jesse Leforgee.

INJUNCTION.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Mary Wyatt, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, in said State, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Wyatt, that the complainant has filed his certain bill of complaint in said Circuit Court, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued against you the said Mary Wyatt, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872. Now, unless you, the said Mary Wyatt, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso* and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 6, 1872—w1t.

W. C. JOHNS, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

In the Circuit Court to the July Term, A. D., 1872.

Frank Hehenstreit *vs.* Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, Veronica Hildenbrand, Augusta Hildenbrand, Ferdinand Hildenbrand, and Lizzie Hildenbrand,

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT that the above named defendants, Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand and Veronica Hildenbrand, after due and diligent search, cannot be found in the State of Illinois, so that process can be served upon them, having been filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, that the said Frank Hehenstreit has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued, returnable on the Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872, as by law required. Now, unless you, the said Alois Hildenbrand, Clara Hildenbrand, and Veronica Hildenbrand, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at the Court-House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

Fourth Monday in July, A. D., 1872,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things in said bill charged and contained, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree will be entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clk of Cir. Court.

W. C. JOHNS, Sol. for Compl't.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w1t.

A. BROWER BUNN, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

No. 10 Water Street

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, } ss

Of the July Term of the Macon County Circuit Court, A. D., 1872.

Mattie E. Dresbach vs. Daniel Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Mary M Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, William E. Roberts and Reuben Betzer, Adm'rs of Estate of Elizabeth C. Dresbach.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, of the above named defendants, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county. Notice is hereby given to the said Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts, and William E. Roberts, that the complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendants, returnable on the Fourth Monday of July next (1872), as the law requires. Now, unless you, the said Daniel Dresbach and Hannah Dresbach, Susanna Roberts and William E. Roberts, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court on the first day of a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the

Fourth Monday of July, A. D., 1872

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein set forth and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, May 9, 1872—w-4t.

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The Daily Republican.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, May 21.

Republican Congressional Convention.

The Republicans of the 14th Congressional District, embracing the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates to attend a Convention of said District, to be held at Tolono, in Champaign county, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 13th, 1872,

at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative in Congress for said District, to be voted for at the election to be held in November next, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said Convention. The basis of representation will be the same as that of the Republican State Convention, viz: One delegate for every four hundred and fraction over one hundred and fifty votes cast for President in 1868, which will entitle the respective counties of said 14th Congressional District to the following number of delegates, to-wit:

Champaign	8	Piatt	3
Coles	7	Vermillion	8
Douglas	4		
Macon	7	Total	37

By order of the committee.

J. S. WRIGHT, Chairman.
W. T. FOSTER, Secretary.

THE MILK IN THE COCOA-NUT.

It has been a matter of surprise to thousands that so many of the Democratic leaders have signified their willingness to support the "Liberal" movement, and thus seemingly give up all their own ambitious aspirations. But when the real animus which controls these gentlemen comes to be considered their attitude will not be so much wondered at. In their endeavors to carry the Democratic masses over to the support of Greeley the leaders uniformly endeavor to convey the idea that the Cincinnati movement is the result of Democratic manipulations, and that none but Democrats are to be benefitted thereby. There seems to be no longer any doubt as to the fact that this so-called "Liberal" movement was concocted among politicians of the true commercial order—men who are always open for a trade which promises a chance of personal profit. It has been admitted by one of the self-appointed Democratic leaders of the Greeley movement in this State, that his party cared nothing about the President or Vice President, but that the Congressmen were the follows that they were looking after, so that the conclusion is irresistible, that in the trade consummated at Cincinnati, the consideration which the Democrats were to receive for their support of a "Liberal" candidate for President was the concession to them of the Congressmen and other offices of a still lower grade. Unless all indications are deceptive, the sequel will show this to have been the bargain. This, then, will account for the eagerness with which the local Democratic leaders have gone into the Cincinnati movement—because it gives them a better chance to dip their fingers into the official porridge-pot

In his speech at the Court-House on Saturday, Mr. Buckingham said that he was tired of attending a big Democratic funeral every few years, and proposed to have a change. If he had told not only the truth, but "the whole truth," he would have said that he was still more wearied with playing the part of mournor at the minor funerals which occur during the intervening years and that as he and his Democratic friends were suffering from an attack of office-mania they wanted things fixed up so that they would not be in such imminent danger of occupying the hearse at the next annual burial of defunct candidates.

It will be seen, therefore, that the feast to which the "Liberals" are expected to sit down, while it will have for its chief course a Republican center-piece, will be composed of Democratic side dishes. And why should it not be so? Do not the Democrats furnish the vast majority of the guests, and does not common politeness dictate that the feast should be, for the most part, suited to their tastes?

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION—All the counties of this State have now held their conventions to appoint delegates to the Republican State Convention, which will meet at Springfield to-morrow, to nominate candidates for State officers and Presidential electors, and to appoint delegates to the National Convention. It is now settled that Richard J. Oglesby will be nominated for Governor without opposition, and that Illinois will be represented by a delegation at Philadelphia favorable to the renomination of President Grant

"TRIUMPH is in the air!" exclaims the New York *Tribune*, speaking of Greeley's prospects. But it should bear in mind that the foul air of the city of Tammany is not the air of the country.

THE CATHOLIC PRESS.

The Irish Catholic papers seem to be as pronounced against Mr. Greeley as their cotemporaries

The *Freeman's Journal and Catholic Register* opens the ball thus:

"The great danger that now threatens us is lawlessness! It threatens the church, it threatens the family, it threatens society, and it threatens property. The man in America who is the neatest type of the *anomos*—'the lawless one,' as anti-Christ is called in the New Testament—is the candidate of the extreme and lawless rascals who met in Cincinnati, Horace Greeley. He professes to have undergone no recent conversion. If taken, he must be taken for what he has been, and has been known to have been, for the past twenty-five years. He is too old to change. * * * But the Democratic Convention at Baltimore on the 9th of next July will relieve us from so shameful an alternative."

From the New York Tablet.

We are no admirers of General Grant either as a military man or a statesman, and we dislike his party, but Mr. Greeley is far inferior to him, and represents the worst elements of the Republican party. He represents the worst elements of the old Whig party and of modern radicalism. The only points in which we agree with him are his advocacy of a speedy return to specie payment, and the removal of all political disabilities imposed on the people of the States that seceded. He affects great fondness for the Irish and other naturalized citizens, but only for the purpose of winning their votes for himself and his party. We know Horace Greeley too well to believe in him, and we should now prefer to see General Grant re-elected to seeing him elevated to any office above that of pathmaster. * * * We can see nothing the country or the Democratic party itself would gain by the success of the Greeley-Brown ticket.

From the Irish American.

We have always been Democratic, we are so from conviction, and we should be dishonest if we professed to believe in any other political doctrine. But we can tell our Boston censor that we oppose Mr. Greeley on principle alone, and there is so little of the "partisan" about us that if—from the motives of expediency which seem to be the only arguments offered to justify such treachery—the Baltimore Convention should attempt to foist the Cincinnati ticket on the American Democracy, so far from feeling bound to support it, we should oppose the unnatural alliance as we do now, and denounce it as an act of political suicide, which nothing in the circumstances of the party could justify or palliate. Defeat in a good cause is preferable to the abandonment of principle.

LETTER FROM DAN. VOORHEES.

Mr. Voorhees has written the following letter:

Washington, May 17, 1872

Dear sir: Your favor is at hand.—The idea that I would under any circumstances support Grant, seems too rediculous for serious consideration. The statements to that effect are maliciously and absurdly false. The reason why I will not support Greeley is that he is no better man than Grant in any respect, and in some points he is worse. This was my meaning when speaking in the House. No honest and intelligent Democrat can support either Greeley or Grant without first abandoning his principles. Fire and water can mingle more easily and more consistently than I could become an adherent of either of them I shall stand by my life-long and sincere principles. If I did otherwise I would be a dishonest man, unworthy of my own respect or the respect of any body else If for this case I am to be condemned I am entirely content. I would not take any other for all the honors the world has to give I confidently believe, however, that the great national Democratic party will not commit a disgraceful suicide at Baltimore on the 9th of July. I believe it will be guided by principle and honor, and present candidates for whom the true and honest masses of the Democracy can vote with self-respect. I shall labor to bring about such a result, others are laboring to nominate Greeley, the most odious man to the Democratic party in the United States. I am willing that the public should judge between them and me and determine who has been true to himself, to his party, and to his convictions. Yours truly,

(Signed) D W. VOORHEES.

VERMILLION COUNTY.—The Republican Convention of Vermillion county, last Saturday, instructed its delegates to the Congressional Convention to vote for the nomination of Col. Lyman Guinnup as long as there was a chance of his success, and for their second choice to vote as a unit for Hon Jos G. Cannon

THE Chicago *Times* has been taking a census of the Republican papers of the State, and finds but two—calling the Chicago *Tribune* one—that supports Horace Greeley for President The Lancaster (Pa) *Intelligencer* has been looking over the Democratic papers of the Keystone State, and finds them all opposed to Greeley but two And two and two make four

REFERRING to the fact that one or two insignificant German papers have accepted the Cincinnati nominations, the Cincinnati *Volksfreund* (Democratic) says "That portion of the German press which is in such a condition as to be under no necessity of bleeding candidates, or of begging official patronage, will not support Greeley"

TELEGRAPHIC.

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

Senator Wilson Expresses Confidence in the Success of the Philadelphia Ticket.

The Tax on Tobacco Adjusted.

INDIANS ON THEIR WAY TO WASHINGTON.

Result of the Strike in Chicago.

The Stokes Trial Definitely Fixed.

INDIAN TROUBLES.

Senator Ferry Indorses Grant in Preference to Greeley.

SPANISH INSULTS TO OUR FLAG

Great Indignation at the Navy Department.

MARKETS. ETC.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, May 21—Senator Wilson, candidate for the Vice Presidency on the Philadelphia ticket, has got the political sum ciphered down to the smallest point of any public man here He said that he was satisfied that the Greeley movement was on the decline, and that Greeley would not receive a Republican vote outside of the States of Illinois, New York and Pennsylvania. He professes to have been considerably worried when the Cincinnati nominations were announced, but after a careful examination of the whole field he finds reason to congratulate Grant and the Republican party generally on the prospect of another four years' term, with a greater electoral vote to sustain them than ever.

The most complicated and many sided question which has come before Congress this session, has been that relating to the tax on tobacco. As finally disposed of to-day, the tax is made uniform at 20 cents, these figures being fixed in accordance with the recommendation of the commissioner of internal revenue. The lobby were confident this morning that they would succeed in getting the amount cut down to 16 cents, and had their combinations all arranged for that result. Those most disappointed in the action of the House to day were the owners of sixteen hundred warehouses, which levied a toll on the entire tobacco trade of the country, but which are now abolished, except for transportation purposes.

Under the new provision of the tax bill any man who makes tobacco can now ship it where he pleases

Whiskey distillers, who are largely represented here, appear to be entirely satisfied with the sections affecting their interests.

A telegram was received here to-day to the effect that the Georgia delegation elected by the State Convention to the Philadelphia Convention, were not instructed for Grant.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—A report was received at the War Department, dated at Fort Leavenworth, May 8th, stating that Gen. Grangor reports a collision between the theiving band of Utes at Tarra Amarica, northwest of Arbquar, on the 6th instant One Indian was killed, and a soldier severely wounded The attack was made by the Indians in the presence of the Indian agent. The troops defended themselves after repeated insults. Every effort was made to prevent trouble by the agent and commanding officers.

The total reduction by the tariff and internal revenue section is estimated at 44 millions.

The letter written by Senator Ferry to his friends in Connecticut, in which he defines his position, will probably be made public some time this week It will prove a bad set back for the liberals and their democratic allies, who have been expecting such great things from the coalition. Ferry does not express satisfaction with all things in the administration, but he is for Grant as against Greeley or any democrat He regards the Greeley nomination as a blunder which is almost a crime, and yet the Liberals are halooing themselves hoarse over their great capture.

The estimated reduction of duties which the tariff bill so far as acted on by the House, affects, amounts to a total of $29,605,778.96

The following are the principle items Coal $215,254, salt $615,522, leather $529,490, cotton manufactures of $177,383, wool and manufactures of $3,358,274, iron and manufactures of $1,876,612, metals and manufactures of $284 966, steel and manufactures of $189 256, lumber and manufactures of $1,850,980, currents, figs and raisins $1,036,517, copper and manufactures of $37,763, tin, in sheets or plates, $94,077.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The different trades unions in the city propose granting a street demonstration on Friday in honor of their success in the eight hour movement.

The court of Oyer & Terminer met yesterday, Judge Ingraham presiding District Attorney Garvin stated that he would be ready to proceed with the trial of criminal cases on Wednesday. It is probable that Stokes' case will be the first called, and date of trial definitely fixed.

The *Herald's* special from Washington says: There is unusual anxiety in official circles to hear the latest news concerning the action of Capt. Davies, commanding the U. S. steamer Wyoming, in protecting the merchant steamer, Edgar Stewart, at Kingston, Jamaica, against the menaces of the Spanish man-of-war, Borgia. It appears that when the President learned that the Virginius was blockaded by the Spanish man-of-war at Aspinwall, he directed the Secretary of the Navy to send the best available vessel to that place without delay, and to protect Virginius at all hazards. The Wyoming, then at Key West, was selected for this purpose, and ordered to Aspinwall. The U. S. steamship Kansas, commanded by Capt. Brown, with Nicaragua surveying expedition on board, arrived at Aspinwall, and finding the Virginius in trouble, offered to convey her beyond the reach of the Spanish war vessel. Having no special instructions in the premises, he was compelled to submit to the demand of the Spanish man-of-war, Pizaro. The Wyoming, destined for Aspinwall, touched at Kingston early this month, where Capt. Davies found the allied blockade runner, Edgar Stewart, in worse trouble than the Virginius. Indignant at the action of the English authorities, Capt Davies demanded the release of the Stewart, and took possession of her by authority of his government.

It is well understood here that while Capt. Davies is positively instructed not to provoke trouble, his instructions are equally positive to resist insult on the spot. The menacing of Stewart, after she has been taken possession of by the United States, will be considered sufficient justification on the part of Capt. Davies in sinking the Spanish man-of-war, Borgia. The action of the Spanish commander in persistently insulting our flag, after having been warned by our naval officers, excites indignation in all quarters. At the Navy Department it is regarded as the grossest of insults, and explanations will not hereafter be asked by the Secretary of State, as in the case of the Florida

FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, May 21—The famous Sioux chief, Red Cloud, with 27 members of his band, arrived here yesterday afternoon and encamped at the Briggs House, Mr J. W. Daniels, Indian Agent, who has charge of them as interpreter, accompanying them. Two of the party are women. They left their home, thirty miles south of Fort Laramie, in Wyoming Territory, six days ago. They represent a band of 9,000 in all, and are on their way to Washington to see the "Great Father." They left last night for the east, and will visit New York before they return

Twenty laborers, mostly hod-carriers, employed on a building at the corner of South LaSalle and South Water streets, struck, yesterday, for an advance in their wages from $2 to $2 25 per day. They were promptly discharged, and new men procured through the employment bureau. The strikers threatened disturbance, but the police quietly dispersed them. As these men were going home about midnight last night, when at the corner of Harrison street and 5th avenue, a man sprang upon them and stabbed each in turn, wounding all severely, and one, it is feared, fatally.—The assassin escaped.

TRENTON, N. J., May 20.—The State Central Committee issued a call for a State Convention, to be held in this city on the 26th of June to elect delegates to the Baltimore Convention.

FOREIGN NEWS.

BERLIN, May 20—The Imperial Army Band, by consent of the Emperor, will sail shortly for America to take part in the world's peace jubilee at Boston.

THE MARKETS.

CHICAGO, May 21—Wheat, steady, cash 1 48, June 1 48½; July 1.50½.
Corn, quiet, cash 47½; June 47½; July 48¾, August 47¾.
Pork, nominal, nothing doing. June 12 75.
Lard, nothing doing.
Oats, quiet, 41.
Rye, fair, 85.
Barley, nominal, 60.
Highwines, quiet, 85.
Receipts of wheat 9680 bushels, shipments 3183
Receipts corn 143,385 bushels, shipments 143,777.
Receipts Rye 3,915 bushels
Receipts Barley, 650 bush., shipments, 10,220.
Cattle, firm, 5 60@6 75.
Sheep, 7 00@8 50

NEW YORK May 21—Flour, dull, and lower, 7 35@7 70
Wheat, steady, very quiet; No 2 Chicago, 1 08@1 70, in store.
Corn, fair demand, 74 afloat
Oats, stronger, 59 in store; 60 afloat
Rye, inactive, nominal, 98
Barley, inactive, quiet, held at 75@78
Whiskey, inactive, 90.
Pork, inactive, steady, 13.90.
Lard, weak, sellers May, 9¼.
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ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the July term, A. D. 1872.

WILLIAM HUMMEL } Attachment.
vs.
AMOS T. HICKMAN,

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the above-named Amos T Hickman, that on the 20th day of May, A. D., 1872, a Writ of Attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said Macon county against him, at the suit of William Hummel, for the sum of Two Thousand and Seventy-Seven and 58-100 Dollars, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county, and that the same has been executed.

Now, unless you, the said Amos T. Hickman, shall personally be and appear before said Court on the first day of the next term, to be holden at the Court-House in the city of Decatur, upon the

22d day of July, A. D. 1872,

And give bail or plead to the said plaintiff's action within the time limited by said court, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said William Hummel, and so much of the estate so attached as may be necessary to make the amount of said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clk of the Circuit Court of Macon Co., Ill.
CREA & EWING, Att'ys for Pl'ff
May 21, 1872—d4w.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the July term, A D, 1872.

Ellas Rost, Joseph S. Farnum, to use of Quinsigamond National Bank of Worcester, William H. Whiteside, to the use of the First National Bank of Wabash, Charles D Bond, to the use of the Fort Wayne National Bank, William H. Howell and Thomas L. Barr, partners by name of Howell, Barr & Co, George S. Allison, and John M. Long, Peter Black and Robert B. Allstatter, partners by the name of Long, Black & Allstatter, Edwin Bayliss, Thomas Ryan, and Z. Reed Brickway,

vs.

Jacob R. Freese, Isaac Freese, David Garver, John R. Race, Albert R. Fearn, Stephen Shipman, William L. Hammer, Sullivan Burgess, C. B. Adams, Hannah Freese, Frederick Lewis, A M. Livingston, William B. Livingston, Thomas Cooper, Ada L. Libby, J. Howard Livingston, W. C. Freese, John L. Mansfield, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Samuel K Wilson, Anastasia Gavin, Otis L. Wheelock, B Dunham, Nicholas Saunders, F W Sharpe, James Buckingham, Mary P. Palmer, Lucretia Briggs, Eld. J. Vaughan, and John A. Hamilton; James H. Alexander, Administrator of T. K. Alexander, deceased, and the unknown heirs of T. K. Alexander, and the unknown heirs and Administrator of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright.

Creditors' Bill.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of John L. Mansfield, Albert R. Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Isaac Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Hannah Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F. W. Sharpe, William B. Livingston, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, above named defendants, having been filed in my office; and that the names of the heirs of T. K. Alexander are unknown, and that the names of the heirs and administrators of Thomas Chapman and Erastus Wright, are unknown: notice is hereby given to the said Isaac Freese, John L. Mansfield, Albert R Fearn, Ada L. Libby, Hannah Freese, H. C. Hazen, L. B. Hazen, W. H. Hazen, William H. Livingston, J. W. C. Gay, Jacob R. Freese, Samuel K. Wilson, F W. Sharpe, James Buckingham, and John A. Hamilton, that the complainants have filed their bill of complaint in the said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of January, A D., 1872, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the 22d day of July, A.D 1872, as by law required.

Now, unless you, the said J W. C. Gay, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, at the Court-House in said county, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained, will be taken *pro confesso*, and a decree entered in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EDEN & ODOR,
NELSON, ROBY & PEDDECORD,
E. PARK, T. LEE, J. M. HEWES,
Solicitors for Complainants
Dated this 20th day of May, 1872. [d-3td

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Willis Martin, Dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 24th day of May, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

R. H. M'RIWEATHER
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April 10-d&wtf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, July term, A. D., 1872.

Lewis F Houck vs Paschal S Hamilton, Louisa Hamilton, James B. Fiske, and Augustus Knight

IN CHANCERY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above entitled suit is now pending in the Circuit Court in and for the said county of Macon, and that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the said July term of said Court to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

22nd Day of July, A. D., 1872,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in said cause, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering and as to such defendants said cause will be heard ex-parte.

EDMISTON McCLELLAN, Clerk.
NELSON & ROBY, Sol's for Compl't
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DECATUR, ILL.

Decatur, May 2, 1872--d-tf.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, May 20.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Eight cars of hogs were shipped from this point East yesterday, by Abram Conklin.

...The Baptist Choir resumed its work yesterday, and good singing was once more heard in that church.

...Bramble's Grove was opened to the public on Saturday evening, and a large number had a good time there.

...The weather is very beautiful now.—It is somewhat chilly at night, and the heat during the day not at all great.

...Capt. Z. S. Swan, of Vandalia, dropped in on us this morning, on his way to the State Convention at Springfield.

...George S. Simpson left here on the noon train to-day for Central City, Colorado, where he intends to spend the summer.

...We are indebted to J. W. Smith, Esq., (who acted as secretary) for a report of the proceedings of the Democratic mass meeting.

...No further arrests have been made of the disturbers of the West Mission Church festival last week. Karneu, the principal party in creating the disturbance, it is supposed, has left the State.

...We are informed by a gentleman from Maroa, whose opportunity for observation is excellent, that the number of liberal republicans there is about one-half of one per cent. of the population.

...Last Saturday night, there was not the usual amount of inebriation floating about the streets that usually occurs on that night among the seven.

...On Saturday night, the police made a raid upon a house of ill-fame in the east part of town, kept by a Mrs. Malson.—Some six or eight persons were taken *in flagrante delicto.*

...There is a strike among some of the rolling-mill hands; to what extent and what the demands are, we are yet unable to learn definitely. There is no excitement, and no demonstrations of violence have yet been manifested.

...The following composition has been turned out by an American scholar aged 15: "A boy without a father is a horphan; without a mother, a double horphan; but is oftenest without a grandfather and a grandmother, and then he is a horphanist."

...The first of July next will be quite an important day in the matter of new law enforcement in this State. On that day there go into effect the Temperance law, the law for keeping up stock, the law giving additional jurisdiction to justices of the peace, the new school law, the new fee bill, the law affecting the right of eminent domain, and others of minor importance.

...The scenery around and about Lake Como, south of the Opera House, is getting to be interesting. The waters are assuming a beautiful gangrene tint, an island has made its appearance in the centre, which is inhabited by a lonely frog, who leads the choir at night. The gentle breezes wafted across its bosom, bring to the senses the fragrant smell of "eau de sauer kraut."

...Mr. Geo. Dean has been appointed shipping clerk clerk at the freight office of the T. W. & W. R. R. Co., in place of Mr. Harry Wolcott, who will depart for New Orleans this week. Mr. Dean has long been known in connection with the Illinois Central freight office in this city, and his appointment to his new position will be hailed with pleasure by his many friends.

...Isaac D. Jennings has concluded to announce himself as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. Mr. Jennings is so well known to the citizens of this county, that no word of ours would be needed to lend him aid. He has been connected more or less with the duties of the office for a number of years, and would make a very efficient, as well as a determined officer. If he is selected as the candidate by the Convention, we will cheerfully endorse him.

...We took an extensive walk throug the northeastern and eastern portion of the city this morning and were much astonished at the growth of that section within the last year. A very large number of houses have been erected on East North, William and Eldorado streets. So great, indeed, was the change that were it not for the prominence of the factories in sight we might have been bewildered as to our own locality. This vast increase in houses is mainly due to the factories that have been built here, and is the most powerful argument that can be used to encourage such enterprises in our midst.

THE DEMOCRACY IN COUNCIL.

In pursuance of a call heretofore published, the Democracy of Macon county assembled at the Court House in Decatur, on Saturday, the 18th inst., in mass meeting, for the purpose of consulting together upon the political issues of the day, and the duty of the Democratic party under surrounding circumstances.

The meeting was called to order by Capt. J. S. Post, on whose motion Wm. Cantrill, Esq., was called to the chair, and Jno. W. Smith appointed secretary.

Hon. Wm. E. Nelson being present, was called upon to state the object of the meeting, which he did. He referred to the condition of the country at the present time, the history of the administration in power, and the attitude of the Democratic party—its duties and responsibilities. He said that the Democratic party, he hoped, would soon be a unit and be able to meet the responsibilities devolving upon it in the present crisis; that the meeting was called for consultation in reference to our present situation as a people—as a party—and as individuals, and he hoped we should have a full, fair and candid statement of all present.

Samuel Rea, Emanuel Rhodes, Dr. Thos. H. Reed, M. G. Camron, Hon. J. S. Post, Thos. O. Smith, Jesse Lockhart, Edward Harpstrite, I. A. Buckingham, and others, were each respectively called upon, and respounded, stating their respective views upon the political situation.

The views of each were presented in a spirit of fairness and good feeling, and though there was a variety of opinions expressed, each seemed to have but one object to accomplish, viz: the overthrow of the Grant wing of the Republican party, now riding ruthlessly over the rights and liberties of the people, and threatening the destruction of the government—and the re-instating in the administration of the government a basis of honesty, integrity and peace under the constitutional limitation of power.

After the discussion on motion of W. D. Hamilton, the following declaration of principles was read to the meeting by Mr. Nelson, as embodying his views of the demands of the hour, and was adopted by the meeting with almost entire unanimity, only three voting in the negative:

We a portion of the Democracy of Macon county in mass meeting assembled, recognize the fact that under our form of government, whatever policies may be adopted in its administration, must affect our interests as a people alike, whether we be Democrats or Repeblicans; that these interests are essentially the same; that while we have united in one desire for the common good, our differences of opinion in the past have been as to the means and not as to the end; and now, as Democrats, we hail with gladness the part that we are enabled to share so fully with so large a portion of our Republican fellow citizens of the same convictions as to the same interests and duties which concern the present.

We do therefore declare, that as Democrats who pay taxes and cast ballots we have the right, at this time, to hold the same opinions on the same subjects, which are entertained by Republicans, and which have been so well expressed at Cincinnati; and with our Democratic brethren of New York, we do not hesitate to declare, "that we believe that all patriotic citizens can unite upon the platform" adopted at Cincinnati. We further declare, that we think "the course best calculated to secure the triumph of these principles," is for the Democratic masses at once to recognize them, and extend assurance of co-operation in giving them practical effect; they are not novel doctrines to the Democratic mind.

Further, that we do not understand how delegates in National Convention can speak for the people until the people have spoken for themselves; and we deprecate and repel that spirit of dictation which commands Democrats to be silent until they shall be taught a shibboleth. We therefore invite our fellow Democrats to assemble in every county and take counsel of each other, and let their voice be heard; that voice will be respected. We know no higher interests in this crisis than those of the people.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

WM. CANTRILL, Chairman.

JNO. W. SMITH, Sec'y.

Curiosities.—Mr. J. R. Blain, who resides at No. 111, North Water street, on Saturday evening last, showed us a number of relics that he has in his possession, which are very interesting. The following articles were taken by a relative of the family, who was in the English army during the Abysinnian War, in 1868: 1st, leaves from a bible, that must be over 600 years old; these are very interesting, as they show the careful manner of inscribing valuable manuscrips in the days before printing. 2d, a rude picture of the Virgin Mary and the infant Jesus, as represented by the native Abysinnians. 3d, a spear-head such as was commonly used by the natives in their warfare with other nations. 4th, A wooden spoon. 5th, A string of beads, steel cross and pictures of the Saints, which were in possession of the Jesuit Priests that were endeavoring to convert the Nations to their faith.

Besides these, Mr. Blain had some relics of the late rebellion, which were rather interesting to look at, among which we may mention a Palmetto flag, of the 23d regiment, S. C. Militia, which was captured by Major Henry C. Blain, Pontoon Engineer, U. S. A., from Columbia, S. C., Feb. 17, 1864, during the memorable Sherman's march to the Sea. Also, on the same campaign, was picked up a copy of the *City Gazette and Daily Advertiser*, published at Charleston, S. C., August 10, 1796, by Freeman & Paine, which was then in the 14th volume. We could have spent a whole hour looking at this old sheet, and contrasting it with the enterprise of the present day. There was also a $10 bill of the Bank of Washington, dated April 30, 1812; a number of Confederate postage stamps and a sample of writing paper such as was used by the rebels during the rebellion.

We were agreeably entertained in examining these relics, and almost envy Mr. Blain and his family their possession.

Brutal Assault.—The Springfield *Journal* of to-day says: "On Friday night last about ten o'clock, as Robert N. Hindman, employed as a special merchants' night police, was standing on the corner of Adams and Sixth streets, at what is known as Bressmer's corner, he was assaulted by a young man by the name of Thomas Henkle, who stepping up behind Hindman, and without a word of warning, struck him on the right side of his head with a two-pound weight which he had in his hand. The blow was a heavy one, and with a groan Hindman fell to the sidewalk, yet not quite senseless; and in attempting to rise again fell heavily, striking and severely bruising his forehead. He was taken up by some of the by-standers and taken into Mr. Bressmer's, and Dr. Buck called, and his wounds—which were very severe—dressed, and the unfortunate man taken home. Young Henkle was arrested and taken before Justice Keedy, but upon bail being furnished to the amount of $1,000, he was set at liberty.

Mr. Hindman is very badly hurt, and lies in a critical condition. The physician says there is great danger and the result may be fatal, but yet he has hopes for his recovery.

The examination in this case will doubtless reveal the facts and motives which prompted the assault. Mr. Hindman is an old and well known citizen, and has the reputation of being one of the most faithful officers in the city, as well as a man of more than ordinary equanimity of temper, and seldom if ever before in his long years of service did he ever have any difficulty, except in arresting some rogue or breaker of the peace. The affair creates a good deal of feeling among our citizens."

Decatur, Sullivan & Mattoon R. R.—The location of the line of the above road into this city has been finally decided upon. Trains are running now upon the road to Dalton station, on the edge of this county. The grading is about completed to Mt. Zion. From Mt. Zion the track will run W. N. W., and strike the Ill. Central R. R. one-half mile south of the Sangamon river bridge, and thence on that road to the depot. It is expected that the track will be laid and trains running by August next.

Sabera Tableaux of Paradise Lost.—This exhibition drew a very good house on Saturday evening, and all went away well pleased. The paintings were very fine, indeed. The lecturer was rather monotonous in his explanation of the subjects, and but for the interest taken in the shifting scenes, his tones would incline the senses toward sleep. They will be exhibited again at a matinee this afternoon, and also this evening.

Personal.—Dr. J. W. Routh has become a member of the Homeopathic Medical Association, which recently met at Chicago.

Rev. D. P. Bunn delivered a sermon in Charleston, Ill., Sunday, May 12th, in the Universalist Church in that place to a house that was crowded.

Free Distribution.—We this day issue a large extra edition of our Daily, Messrs. S. D. Ludden & Co., with their accustomed enterprise, having ordered the same for free distribution. This wide-awake house is determined to place before the public information which will show where dry goods may be purchased at panic prices, as they are bound to close out their retail stock, no matter what the sacrifice. Read their advertisement in this paper.

I have sold to John Hamsher & Co., my entire stock of goods, consisting of all kinds of saddlery, hardware, and fine harness, and it is their intention to combine both stock of goods together, making the largest and best-assorted stock of goods in this line ever brought to central Illinois. All of my customers will do well to trade with them; they will find that they are trading with gentlemen in every respect.—All those indebted to me will please call and settle, *as I need the money.*

J. E. MOFFETT.

For Spring Wagon Cushions and Buggie cushions go to J. G. Starr & Son's, adjoining the St. Nicholas Hotel.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, May 20, 1872.

The following are ruling prices at this date:

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1.80
" White "	1.85
FLOUR—white wheat, ₩ hundred	5.50
" red " "	5.00
" superfine, " "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—₩ bushel	.70
RYE—₩ bushel	.65
CORN—₩ bushel	.35
" shelled, per bush	.38
HAY—Timothy, ₩ ton,	12.00
OATS—₩ bushel,	.30
TIMOTHY SEED—₩ bushel	3.50
CLOVER SEED—	6.00@7.00
BEANS—₩ bushel	2.25
BUTTER—₩ lb	.15@.18
EGGS—per doz,	.10
LARD—₩ lb	.09
BACON—Sides,	.06
HAMS—sugar-cured,	.14
SHOULDERS—per lb	.06
HOGS—Live, per hundred,	3.25@3.05
CATTLE— " " "	3.50@5.00
SHEEP— " per hun., unsheared	3.50@4.00
" " " " sheared	2.25
POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu.,	1.20
" Peach Blow,	.12½
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	.12½
APPLES— " "	.20
DRIED CURRANTS—per lb	.20
DRIED BLACKBERRIES—₩ lb	.15
" PRUNES—₩ lb	40@44
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	43@45
" " coarse & long	47@52
" " combing	45@51
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	47@50
" " coarse & long	55@60
" " combing	65@70
" Tubwashed	65@72
" " and picked	63@67
HIDES—Green, ₩ lb	8½@9.00
" Salted cured,	12½@12
" Calf,	.12½
" Dry salt,	.16
" Dry Flint,	2.00@2.25
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	
[cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₩ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ₩ lb	.25@.10
BEESWAX ₩ lb	.25
TALLOW— "	.07@.07½
RAGS—Mixed,	1½@2
TOBACCO—Natural leaf, ₩ lb	1.00
" Half Bright, "	.68
" Choice black, "	.03

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$90,000 Worth of Dry Goods!

On hand; the largest Retail Stock ever
Offered to the people of Central Illinois,
Embracing the most varied assortment
And the most choice styles
Of Foreign and Domestic Fabrics.
We do not offer goods cheap
For 30 days only,
But as long as we continue in business.
We can afford to sell Woolen Goods
At last year's prices;
Dress Goods below last year's prices;
Bleached and Brown Cottons
AT NEW YORK QUOTATIONS;
Table Linen, Napkins, Towelings,
Quilts, Hosiery, Gloves, Shawls, and
Every other description of Goods at
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April 5-dtf.

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WANTED—One hundred wagon loads of Manure. Enquire of J. N. Bills, at the store of Bills & Hardy. [m16-dtf.

LOST.—Somewhere in the central portion of the city yesterday, a city warrant for $39,07, in favor of Shields, Harrison & Co. The finder will please leave it at this office, or with M. K. Hatch, Esq.

WANTED—A young man, or an active boy, to do general work at Norman & Young's Barber Shop and Bath Rooms. [m8—d-tf.]

WANTED—A girl to do the housework of a small family. German preferred. Apply at this office. [a23-dtf

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Button-Hole, Over-Seaming

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One door north of Warren & Durfee's Real Estate Agency.

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HAND BASKETS, WASTE BASKETS, WORK BASKETS FRUIT BASKETS, TRAVELING BASKETS, AT J. H. LEWIS & CO.'S.

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CUSTOMERS SUPPLIED in any part of the city. Our dairy comprises FORTY HEAD of of good milch cows.

RICH CREAM!

Furnished on Short Notice.

ORDERS left at Newell & Hammer's store, or in P. O. Box 504, will receive prompt attention. [apr1-d-6m.

LOOK HERE--Ladies' Gaiters only One Dollar at Wessels' shoe store, 15 Water street.

DRY GOODS.

WE ARE A LITTLE THIN, YET OUR HEALTH IS GOOD;

Perfectly able to keep New Goods coming in every day, which we are doing. Have just received all the new things in Parasols---beauties; also, Sunshades in Cotton, Gingham and four grades of Silk. Will receive on to-morrow a good assortment of Ladies' Under-wear---will sell them as low as the material will cost; also 40 suits for Ladies, in White Lawn, Buff Linen, Grass Cloth, &c.

We do not propose to "SELL OUT CLEAN,"---might make us unhealthy---but propose to show you NEW, FRESH GOODS EVERY DAY AND WEEK, and WAY UNDER "Bottom Prices."

Have just received another invoice of elegant Kid Gloves, at $1,00.

Our Cash Book does not Tell Stories!

HAYS & BRUCE.

May 21, 1872-d1y.

CITY BOOK STORE.

LITSINBERGER & SUTTON,

(SUCCESSORS TO D. ESPY & CO.)

The lightest and best store room in the city, and the largest and best assorted stock of goods in our line. Among the specialties of our trade, we call attention to our stock of CROQUET, BASE BALLS, BRACKETS, BASKETS, MOROCCO TRAVELING BAGS, &c., which we will sell at lowest cash prices. We will not be undersold on anything.

N. B.---AT THIS SEASON WE GIVE OUR SPECIAL ATTENTION TO SUPPLYING SUNDAY SCHOOLS WITH LIBRARIES, MUSIC BOOKS, CLASS BOOKS AND REWARD CARDS, OF WHICH WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK ON HAND.

May 9, 1872 d&wly

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DECATUR, ILL.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Tuesday Evening, May 21.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Announcements.

SHERIFF.

WE are authorized to announce Captain HARVEY MAHANNAH as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC D. JENNINGS as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...The police have had little to do to-day.

...A mother's heart giveth ith joy at the sight of the baby's last 2th.

...The Liberals will be gently titillated by Gov. Palmer next Saturday.

...Strawberries have made their appearance in market to-day. They are selling at 35 cents a box.

...The city council did nothing last night. The stock ordinance still stands in abeyance and hogs have four days more of liberty.

...Remember the meeting of soldiers at Dr. Routh's office this evening, to make preparation for the ceremonies on Decoration Day.

...Frank Priest wants his cutting box that was stolen a year ago, and says the thief will be exposed if he don't return it forthwith.

...Beautiful evenings we have now. A little cool to be sure, but then the young folks can get under the same shawl, and that's so nice.

..."Can you change a two dollar bill?" said an impecunious drinker to the bartender. "Yes." "Well, when I get a two dollar bill I'll bring it in."

...Merchants look happy. This favorable weather promises good results at harvest time. Therefore they anticipate a good trade. As they rejoice, so do we

...The 4th of July comes on Thursday this year. It doesn't make much difference whether it comes on Thursday or Friday—here—for we don't celebrate. But we call attention to it for the benefit of those who wish to go to Mt. Zion.

...The city fathers have constructed a musquito factory on the corner of East Main and Franklin streets. That is to say they have elevated a big tub to hold water to supply the street sprinkler. It's a very unsightly looking object.

...Our man of general utility, who grinds out the DAILY REPUBLICAN, was assaulted one night last week. Somebody reached up and hit his proboscis and started the "claret," which frightened him a little. He started for the doctor, but found himself recovered and went home.

...Naughty boys are marring the beauty of those ponds on the corner of Water and Prairie streets, by throwing in bricks, old hats, boots and other rubbish. Boys, you shouldn't ought to do so. Who knows but what you may get on the board of health some day, and may have to clean it all up.

...The Alton *Telegraph* calls the attention of Governor Palmer and Senator Trumbull to the following touching lines as applicable to their situation:

"For when I think of what I am
And what I used to was,
I think I throwed myself away
Without sufficient cause."

...Two gentlemen are in the city, one from Terre Haute and the other from Tuscola, who are prospecting for the purpose of building a machine shop. They propose, if they like it, to start a first-class shop complete in all details, and we sincerely hope our business men will encourage the enterprise.

...The Toledo, Wabash & Western R. R. Co., have leased the Lafayette, Bloomington & Mississippi Railroad, and will soon have trains running in connection with their road. This branch has 117 miles in running order, and added to the business of the T. W. & W. R. R., will make 1110 miles in all under their jurisdiction.

...Those old rookeries, on East Main street, which have long been an eye sore to our citizens, are going at last, thank goodness. The front has been torn out of one building, and the others will fall down soon, if they are not pulled. We have long been afraid that a fire might break out in that locality, but fortunately decay is doing the work much more satisfactorily.

...It is a curious fact, and an indisputable evidence of the signs of the times, that the news dealers find that the Chicago *Tribune* is not taken so much as it used to be. One of them informed us last evening, casually, that he used to take 87 copies to supply his trade, while now he takes 20, and he said he would have to order five of them to be stopped. The *Inter Ocean*, he said, went from nothing up to 10, and he would have to order 10 more to supply the demand. Other dealers report a like result. If this is the case in all the towns in the State, the Chicago *Tribune* must have suffered a terrible depletion in its circulation.

FROM MACON.

MACON, May 21, 1872.

Again we are in the enterprising village of Macon. On Saturday evening we enjoyed a delightful game of croquet with the family of Mr. J. F. Miller and others. Mr. Miller is not an old man; his spirit is genial and youthful. Very agreeably did we enjoy the hospitality of this family during our stay over Sunday. Mrs. Miller never fails to make her guests feel at home. Young, elegant and cheerful, with a home that abounds with good things, to make life happy, Mrs. M. is lacking in none of the desired accomplishments.

Mr. Miller is a fruit grower, and has more than sixteen varieties of grapes, and other small fruits in great abundance. His grounds give evidence of taste and care, and are worthy of admiration.

Dr. Kyner is improving six acres of ground, on which he is about to erect a fine dwelling-house. The doctor is an educated horticulturist, and is now putting his knowledge into practice.

In our first letter from this place, we omitted to make mention of the Presbyterian Church, in which the Presbyterians and Lutherans hold service, from the fact that we had not been posted. These people, we learn, are negotiating for a pastor.

Mr. Miller, one of the Directors of the new east and west railroad, informed us that a survey would be made this week.—The probability is the Pennsylvania Central Company will control the road, and make it a feeder to their extensive lines of road.

The M. E. Sunday School at this place numbers nearly three hundred scholars.—J. F. Miller is Superintendent, and one of the Hight brothers is Secretary; and other business men are engaged as officers and teachers in the school. The infant class, in charge of Mrs. J. Villars, averages an attendance of about eighty-five. This class meets in the parsonage. The little folks answer questions promptly. The trustees of the Church propose to build a chapel this summer for Sunday School and other meetings.

This place and Blue Mound are rival towns. Last week the grain dealers of the latter place paid thirty-five cents a bushel for corn, while at Macon buyers paid less. This morning the Macon dealers, hearing of the price paid in their neighboring town for corn, put it up to to 35 cents a bushel, while at Blue Mound they reduced the price to 32 cents, and all parties in both places were ignorant of the fact.

Dr. Tobey has just returned from a visit to his friends at Lagro and Peru, Indiana. The doctor has a neat office in company with Dr. Waltz, dentist. No one will object to the Dr.'s Waltz-ing in that way.—The young lakies, we understand, are perfectly satisfied with this Waltz—even those who are opposed to dancing.

This morning several Macon friends visited Decatur, among the number, Uncle Robert Timmons, City Marshal, who has succeeded in his intercessions for a calaboose. After it is ready for occupants, the Marshal thinks it will be a warning for everybody to conduct themselves properly.

Macon is moving onward, and its citizens well deserve their reputation for enterprise and liberality. C.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

DECATUR, ILL., May 20, 1872.

ADJOURNED MEETING.

Mayor Shellabarger in the chair. Board all present except Ald. Mills and Hill.—Reading of the minutes of the last meeting dispensed with.

On motion of Ald. Myers, the Council adjourned until next Thursday evening.

That Brutal Assault—Further Facts.—The following from the Springfield *Journal* to-day, will explain the article copied from that paper in yesterday's issue: "The assault on the person of policeman Hindman, which was noted in the *Journal* yesterday morning, while giving the facts as we learned them, still were not *all* the facts as we have since ascertained.

It seems that about three weeks ago some of the young men around town got into some difficulty with the night police and were arrested, in which policeman Hindman did his share of the work. A large window was broken in the scrape, and a suit has been commenced against the parties for the damages done; from this circumstance some considerable ill feeling has grown up between young Hinkle and Mr. Hindman.

Mr. Hinkle called upon us yesterday, and said that the trouble on Friday night which resulted so unfortunately, commenced in front of Latham & Co.'s store, on Adams street, about 9½ o'clock, at which time he was accosted by Hindman who, after a few words, struck him (Hinkle) on the side of the head with his fist, nearly knocking him off the sidewalk, and that Hindman followed the first blow by another, upon which Hinkle ran, followed as he supposed by Hindman. He ran into Brossmer's store and seized a weight, and coming out struck Hindman as stated by us yesterday.

Hindman admits that he struck young Hinkle first stated, but he said he did so after repeated insults and abusive language from Hinkle."

Marriage Licenses.—The marriage business is light. Those who have applied for the week past are:

Geo. W. Taylor and Miss Ella S. Freeman.

Jacob Diller and Miss Emma Stratton.

Daniel H. Dunbar and Miss Mary E. Nichols.

Died.—On Sunday morning, the 19th inst., at his late residence, five miles southeast of the city of Decatur, Ill., Mr. JEREMIAH FALCONER, aged 71 years, 2 months, and 21 days.

He was a native of Frederick county, Maryland, emigrated to this State in the fall of 1839, and in the summer of 1840 settled upon his farm, upon which he died, in hope of a blissful immortality. E. G. Y.

Large Stock of Harnesses.—John Hampsher & Co., have lately added to their already large stock of Harness, Saddles, &c., the stock and materials of J. E. Moffitt, and they have now the largest stock in this line of goods in Central Illinois. If you want to see fine harness and splendid saddles, and the other articles that belong to that special line of trade, you had better call around at No. 18 south side of new square, and gratify your taste. You cannot fail to be suited with the style, durability and the price. dawlt

Excursion Tickets, from New York to Liverpool, London or Glasgow, and return, entitling the holders to best accommodation for Cabin Passage, good for 12 months, $120 in currency. Tickets for Steerage Passage from Glasgow, Liverpool or Queenstown, only $34; from Hamburg or Bremen to New York, $36.—Sold by Alfred Wuensch, Agent for the Anchor, Cunard and White Star Line, and Hamburg line of steamers. Office in Smith's Opera Block, Decatur, Ill.

May 21-d6t

New Jewelry Store.—Mr. J. L. Kneiper has established a Jewelry Store in part of the store occupied by W. W. Lapham, and has a fine stock of clocks, watches and jewelry on hand. Mr. Kneiper brings with him an experience of over 15 years in the business, and guarantees satisfaction in his work. Go in and see him, and get one of his nice chromo cards, if you don't buy. See advertisement in another column.

Hays & Bruce, dry goods merchants, at No. 25 North Water street, are enterprising men who have learned the various tastes of their numerous customers and seek to gratify them by a large and well selected stock. They believe in advertising, too. See the new advertisement in this issue.

Police Court.—Yesterday afternoon, before Justice Goodman, Mrs. Hanse was tried for keeping a bawdy house, and fined $25 and costs.

Mollie Burgess was charged with being an inmate of a bawdy house, called for a jury, and, upon trial, the jury assessed her $40 and costs.

This weather is very fine, the evenings are delightful, and while you take your walks enjoying them, step up to the Ice Cream Parlor over the Post Office.

Just Received at W. E. Wilson's, a large number of Sunday School Library and Song Books, Mottoes and Reward Cards, all to be sold at as low prices as they can be bought in larger cities. [d&wtf

For Spring Wagon Cushions and Buggie cushions go to J. G. Starr & Son's, adjoining the St. Nicholas Hotel.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, May 21, 1872.

The Grain market is advancing. Wheat is firm and 5c higher. Corn is scarce for the reason that farmers are too busy to haul it to town. There seems to be a large quantity in the country yet.

Butter quiet. Other provisions dull.

Cattle market unchanged

The following are ruling prices at this date:

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$ 1.85
" White "	1.90
FLOUR—white wheat, ⅌ hundred	5.50
" red " "	5.00
" superfine, "	3.50
" middlings, "	2.50
CORN MEAL—⅌ bushel	.70
RYE—⅌ bushel	.65
CORN—⅌ bushel	.38
" shelled, per bush	.40
HAY—Timothy, ⅌ ton	12.00
OATS—⅌ bushel	.30
TIMOTHY SEED—⅌ bushel	3.50
CLOVER SEED—	6.00@7.00
BEANS—⅌ bushel	2.25
BUTTER—⅌ lb	.17½
EGGS—per doz	.10
LARD—⅌ lb	.09
BACON—Sides	.06
HAMS—sugar-cured	.11
SHOULDERS—per lb	.09
HOGS—Live, per hundred	3,25@3,35
CATTLE— " "	3,50@5,00
SHEEP— " per head, unsheared	3,00@4,00
" " sheared	2.25
POTATOES—Early Rose, per bu	1.00
" Peach Blow	.12½
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	.12½
APPLES— "	.20
DRIED CURRANTS—per lb	40@43
WOOL—Unwashed, merino & fine	43@46
" " coarse & long	17@52
" " combing	45@51
" Fleecewash'd, merino & fine	47@50
" " coarse & long	45@50
" " combing	45@70
" Tubwashed	45@72
" " and picked	64@67
HIDES—Green, ⅌ lb	8@6.00
" Salted cured	12½@12
" Calf	.12½
" Dry salt	.16
" Dry Flint	2.00@2.25
SHEEP PELTS—Green,	
[Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, branded, 10 per ct. off.]	
FEATHERS—Prime, ⅌ lb	.50@.60
" Common, ⅌ lb	.25@.40
BEESWAX ⅌ lb	.25
TALLOW— "	.07@.07½
RAGS—Mixed	1.40@2
TOBACCO—Natural leaf, ⅌ lb	1.00
" Half Bright, "	.88
" Choice black, "	.60

Administrator's Sale

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

BY virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of Christian county, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, N. B. Chapman, Administrator of the estate of John Cochran, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the February Term, A. D., 1872, of said Court, to wit, on the 15th day of February, 1872; I shall on Saturday, the 15th day of June next, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public sale, in front of the post office in Blue Mound, in Macon county, the real estate described as follows, to-wit: The south half of lot No. 4, section 19, township 15 north, range 1 east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, containing five 25-100 acres, on the following terms, to-wit; on a credit of six months, the purchaser to give approved security, and mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the said purchase money. N. B. CHAPMAN,

Administrator estate of John Cochran dec'd.

Decatur, Ill., May 9, 1872—w-5w.

Administrator's Notice

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administratrix of the Estate of William H. Proud, Decd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 17th day of June, A. D., 1872, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment. LOUISA PROUD,

Administratrix.

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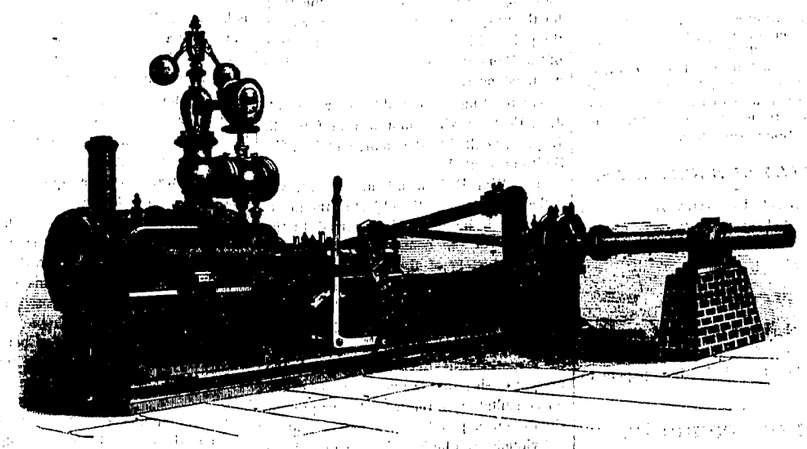

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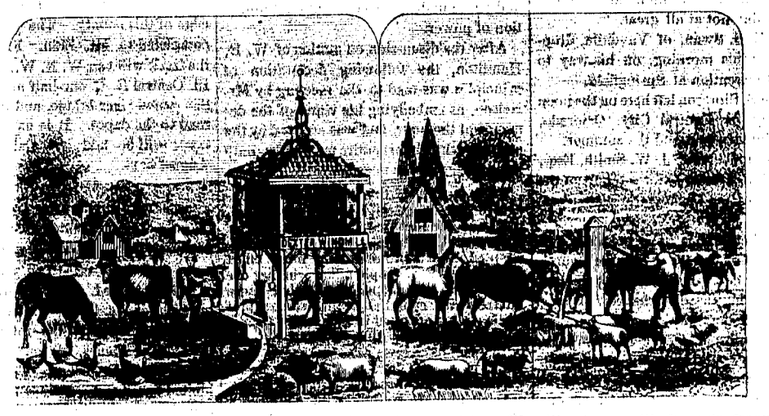

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will, on the 25th day of April, A. D., 1872, attend at the Assessor's Office of the 7th Collection District, Illinois, in the town of Watseka, in said District, for the purpose of receiving and determining appeals relative to any erroneous or excessive valuations, assessments or enumerations by said Assessor, or any Assistant Assessor, returned in the Annual List of March, 1872. All appeals must be in writing, and must specifically state causes of appeal.

FRANKLIN BLADES, Assessor.

April 11, 1872—w-1t.

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June 8, 1871

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Decatur, March 14, 1872—tf.

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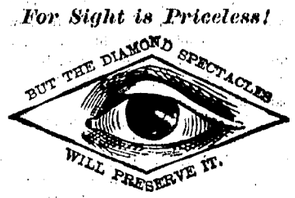

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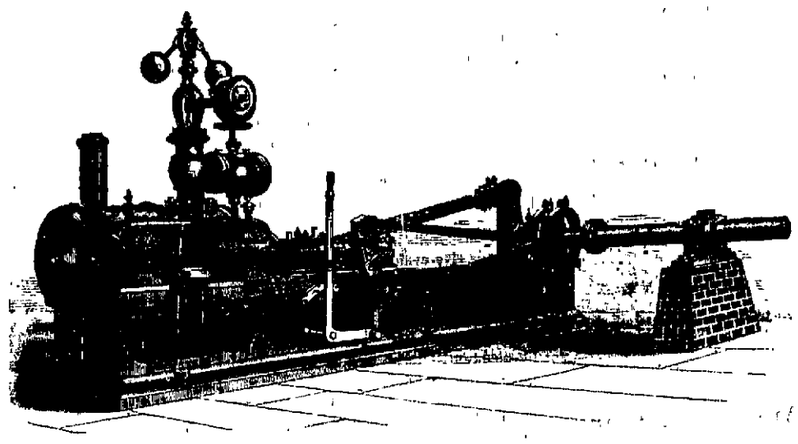

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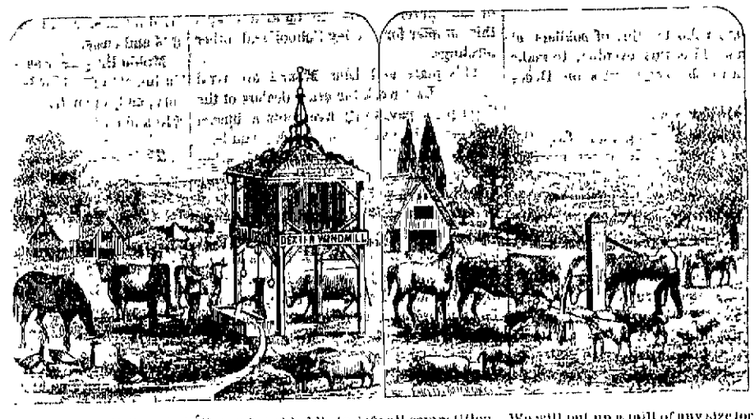

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